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For any corrections, additions or suggestions to the Directory please use the form on the last page of this directory. You can mail or fax it to the address above.

Disclaimer Notice

Inclusion or exclusion of programs, services, organizations, and private practitioners does not constitute approval or disapproval by MCDHH. Please contact the agency or entity directly to determine if the program, service, organization, or private practitioner meets your needs and expectations. If you wish to be listed in the future editions of the Resource Directory, please contact the Communication Access, Training and Technology Services Department at the address above.

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Message from the Commissioner



Heidi L. Reed

Dear Consumers and Colleagues,

The Massachusetts Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing is pleased to present the 2005 Statewide Resource Directory. This publication will put you in touch with almost 600 agencies, educational programs, organizations, and individual practitioners throughout the Commonwealth whose services were established for the benefit of people who are Deaf, hard of hearing, and late deafened. We hope you will find these connections and services most helpful.

Massachusetts has a long, rich, old, and new history of service delivery within the field of deafness. People who are themselves Deaf, hard of hearing, late deafened, along with dedicated others, have been a dynamic part of the story. The results of their efforts are reflected within this directory; a broad range of supports and resources ready to be of service to you. Enjoy!

Cordially yours,

Heidi L. Reed Commissioner

How to use this directory

This Directory contains the contact information for agencies and resources of use or interest to the Deaf, Hard of Hearing people, and people involved with the Deaf and Hard of Hearing. Entries are listed in alphabetized categories. Please refer to the Table of Contents for the complete list of categories in the Directory and use the index to find individual entities by name. Categories open with a general description of the agencies and organizations included in it. The specifics for each agency should be checked by direct contact. The index is the alphabetical listing of all the agencies by name rather than category. The index will direct you to the page the entity is listed on for complete information. If you have any suggestions for improvement, wish to submit a new resource, or make a correction; please contact the Communication Access, Training and Technology Services Department at the MCDHH.

A note about terminology used when listing contact information.

TTY

This is the acronym for $\underline{\mathbf{T}}$ ele $\underline{\mathbf{TY}}$ pewriter, a device originally used to communicate by typing back and forth over telegraph wires. While modern versions are known as $\underline{\mathbf{T}}$ elecommunication $\underline{\mathbf{D}}$ evice for the $\underline{\mathbf{D}}$ eaf, most Deaf people still prefer to use the abbreviation "TTY" and we have used it throughout this publication. If no TTY is available, you may use the Massachusetts Telecommunications Relay Service by dialing 711. Please see page 8 for a more detailed explanation of the TTY, and page 9 and 10 for an explanation of the Massachusetts TRS.

Voice

This is used to indicate the number for phones used by hearing people.

Fax

The acronym for a facsimile machine, which transmits electronic duplicates of documents from one location to another using standard telephone lines.

Web

Web sites are listed at the end of each entry when they are available. If you are using the web or CD version of the **Resource Directory**, simply click on the link provided to go to the web page.

MCDHH Statewide Offices

MCDHH Main Office

150 Mount Vernon Street Suite 550 Boston, MA 02125 617 740-1700 TTY 617 740-1600 Voice 617 740-1610 FAX

MCDHH Central Office

340 Main Street Suite 700

508 755-4084 TTY/Voice

Worcester, MA 01608 508 753-5921 TTY

508 752-5441 FAX

MCDHH South Office

61 Industrial Park Road Plymouth, MA 02360 508 747-8408 TTY/Voice 508 747-8365 FAX









413 788-6427 TTY/ Voice

Springfield, MA 01103 413 731-5177 FAX

MCDHH Western Office 436 Dwight Street Suite 204

Toll Free Numbers

800/530-7570 TTY

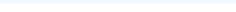
MCDHH Services

800/882-1155 Voice



Web Site

http://www.mass.gov/mcdhh/



- **CART Referral Services**
- Case Management/Social Services;
- Children's and Family Services
- Contracted Independent Living Programs for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (DHILS)
- **Emergency Interpreter Referral Services**
- **Interpreter Referral Services**
- **State-Level Interpreter Screenings**
- Technical Assistance, Educational Exhibits, Communication Access Compliance Trainings, Information and Referral Provided by the Communication Access, Training and Technology Services (CATTS) department.







How to use a TTY



A **TTY** is a telephone device used by individuals who cannot here and / or understand voice conversations over regular telephones. TTYs are also used for Voice Carry Over (VCO) and Hearing Carry Over (HCO) conversations. More information is available by contacting MassRelay. Please consult the following pages for that contact

Using the TTY in Acoustic and Direct Connect Modes:

In the **Acoustic Mode** the telephone handset is placed on the acoustic couplers of the TTY. It is important to match the shape of the handset with the couplers to ensure minimal noise interference.

- **Turn on** the TTY
- Place the telephone handset in the coupler keeping the handset cord to the left of the
- **Dial** the number you wish to call on the telephone
- **Check** the "signal" light near the screen

Steady blinking - ringing

Rapid blinking - line busy

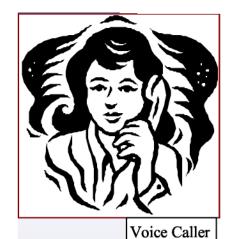
Erratic blinking - either person speaking or voice answering machine picked up

- **Type** your messages
- **Hang-up** the telephone when the conversation is finished
- Turn Off the TTY
- To Answer an Incoming Call: Turn on the TTY, place the telephone handset into the coupler on the TTY and start typing

Direct Connect is the best way to use the TTY to reduce noise interference as well as to maximize the features available on many TTY.

- **Turn on** the TTY
- Press and hold "Ctrl" key, then press "Dial" key at the same time
- **Either type** in the Directory name when applicable, or the phone number
- Press "Return" and wait for the other TTY user to respond
- At the end of the phone call, press "Ctrl" and "Hang-up" or simply turn off the
- To answer an incoming call: turn on the TTY and type your greeting Please note: Most TTYs do not have built-in audible ringers. However, some have flashing lights built in the device itself. Separate audible and visual alerting devices may be purchased at your local specialty store or Radio Shack.

How to use the Mass Relay Service



The Relay Service is a 24-hour, 365 days a year, FREE public service for anyone that wants to make a call to a TTY user and vice versa.

Simply Dial 711 Voice or TTY or 800 439-2370 TTY or 800-439-0183 Voice



- Give the Relay Operator the Number that you wish to call.
- The operator will connect you.
- During the conversation, be sure to say "Go Ahead" or "GA" when you are finished with your part to alert the other caller that it's his/her turn to speak/type.
- Please refrain from saying "Tell Her/Him" as if the operator was part of the conversation.



Relay Service Numbers and Website

Massachusetts Relay Service (MassRelay)

Universal Access	711
TTY/ASCII	800 439-2370
Voice/STS*	800 439-0183
900 TTY Relay	900 230-8989
International TTY	605 224-1837

^{*} Speech to Speech

Massachusetts Relay Customer Service

TTY 800 720-3480
Voice 800 720-3479
Email custserv@massrelay.org
Website www.massrelay.com

Mailing address:

MassRelay Customer Service 489 Whitney Ave. # 100 Holyoke, MA 01040

AT&T 900 Pay Per Call Relay Service

English TTY 900 344-3322 Spanish TTY 900 344-4889







AT&T National Relay Service

All Users	711
TTY	800 855-2880
Voice	800 855-2881
ASCII	800 855-2882
Telebraille	800 855-2883
TTY Spanish	800 855-2884
Voice Spanish	800 855-2885
PC Spanish	800 855-2886
English Speech to Speech (STS)	800 229-5746
Spanish Speech to Speech (STS)	866 260-9470

Sprint National Relay Service Long Distance

TTY/ASCII	800 877-8973
Voice	800 877-8973
Hearing Carry over (HCO)	800 877-8973
Voice Carry Over (VCO)	800 826-2255
Speech to Speech (STS)	877 787-2660
Telebraille	800 877-8973
Spanish 800	800 435-8590

Video Relay Service

Requires computer, web camera with CCD sensor and high-speed broadband internet connection using cable or DSL.

AT&T Video Relay	consumer.att.com/relay/index
Sorenson VRS	sorensonvrs.com
Sprint Video Relay	sprintvrs.com
Hamilton Video Relay	<u>hamiltonrelay.com</u>
MCI IP-Relay	MCI IP-RELAY.com

Internet Relay Service

Requires computer and internet connection.

AT&T Internet Relay	www.relaycall.com/national/index
Hamilton Internet Relay	www.hiprelay.com
MCI Internet Relay	www.ip-relay.com
Sprint Internet Relay	www.sprintrelayonline.com

Access: Communication Access Realtime Translation CART

Trained reporters using a stenography machine and a laptop translate voice to text; special software outputs verbatim English text, which can be read on a laptop or projection screen by one or more users. Organizations in this category train and/or refer CART providers.

Massachusetts Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing CART Referral Service (see page 6 for contact information)

Massachusetts Court Reporters Association 50 Congress Street #525 Boston, MA 02109 888 522-6272 Toll Free 617 778-0572 Voice 617 523-7343 Fax mcraonline.com National Court Reporters
Association
8224 Old Courthouse Road
Vienna, VA 22182
703 556-6289 TTY
703 556-6272 Voice
800 272-6272 Toll Free
703 556-6291 Fax

NCRAonline.org

Rapid Text
1801 Dove Street
Suite 101
Newport Beach, CA 92660
949 399-9200 Voice
RapidText.com

Access: C-Print/Transcription Services

C-Print is a speech to text system used to provide communication access. Researchers at the National Technical Institute for the Deaf developed it for use in high school and college classrooms. It is effective in meetings and workshops as another option for communication access. The following organizations provide C-Print and transcription services.

C-Print Development & Training
Rochester Institute of
Technology
National Technical Institute
for the Deaf
52 Lomb Memorial Drive
Rochester, NY 14623
585 475-7557 TTY/V
585 475-5949 Fax
CPrint.RIT.edu

Northern Essex
Community College
Deaf and Hard of Hearing
Services
100 Elliot Street
Haverhill, MA 01830
978 556-3673 TTY
978 556-3654 Voice
necc.mass.edu/leamingaccommod
ations/deaf.shtml

Type Well 805 682-2387 TTY/V 815 301-3314 Fax TypeWell.com/

Access: Cultural Activities and Resources

The following organizations have programs that provide communication access using interpreters, captioning, CART, or a combination of these. Please check on the specific performance or exhibit you are interested in because not all programs and events will be made accessible without a specific request. The following abbreviations are used to indicate the type of access provided: **ASL** – American Sign Language Interpreted, **ALDS** – Assistive Listening Device or System, **CC** - Closed Captioned, **OC** – Open Captions, **RW** – Rear Window Captions

AMC Fenway 13

201 Brookline Avenue Boston, MA 02215 617 424-6266 Voice RW

KVV

AMC Framingham 16

22 Flutie Pass Framingham, MA 01701 508 875-6237 **RW**

Babson College

Knight Auditorium 231 Forest Street Babson Park, MA 02457 781-235-1200 Voice http://www3.babson.edu/ ALDS

Berkshire Museum

39 South Street Route 7 Pittsfield, MA 01201 413 443-7171 Voice Berkshiremuseum.org ASL, ALDS

Boston Center for the Arts

539 Tremont Street Boston, MA 02116 617 348-2926 TTY 617 426-7700 Voice 617 426-5336 Fax WWW.BCAonline.org ASL. ALDS

Boston Children's Museum

300 Congress Street Boston, MA 02210 617 426-5466 TTY 617 426-8855 Voice 617 426-1944 Fax WWW.BostonKids.org

Boston Public Library BPL

Lloyd Harris Access Center 700 Boylston Street Boston, MA 02116 617 536-7055 TTY 617 266-8948 or 617 536-5400 Voice BPL.org ASL, ALDS, CC

Cambridge Arts Council

344 Broadway 2nd floor Cambridge, MA 02139 617 492-0235 TTY 617 349-4380 Voice 617 349-4669 Fax cambridgema.gov/~CAC/abo ut visit. ASL

Concord Museum

200 Lexington Road Concord, MA 01742 978 369-9763 Voice 978 369-9660 Fax ConcordMuseum.org OC

Cultural Access Consortium

50 Franklin Street Boston, MA 02110 617 338-8548 TTY 617 357-1864 Voice 617 357-1870 Fax CulturalAccess.org

Fleet Center

One Fleet Center Place STE 200 Boston, MA 02114 617 624-1106 TTY 617 624-1050 Voice fleetcenter.com

Handel & Haydn Society

Horticultural Hall 300 Massachusetts Ave Boston, MA 02115 617 266-3605 box office 617 262-1815 administration 617 266-4217 Fax Handelandhaydn.org ALDS

Hatch Shell Esplanade Park Massachusetts Department of

Conservation and Recreation

251 Causeway Street Ste 600 Boston, MA 02114-2104 617 626-1250 Voice 617 626-1351 Fax mass.gov/dcr/ ASL

Huntington Theatre Company

264 Huntington Ave Boston, MA 02115 617 424-0694 TTY 617 266-0800 Voice 617 421-9674 Fax Huntingtontheatre.org

ASL, ALDS

InSight Cinema

(See website for Open Captioned Movies by state and to join Email List) 2800 28th St. STE 380 Santa Monica, CA 90405 InSightCinema.org OC

Museum of Fine Arts

465 Huntington Ave Boston, MA 02115 617 267-9703 TTY 617 267-9300 Voice 617 267-9328 Fax MFA.org

ALDS

Museum of Science

Science Park Boston, MA 02114 617 589-0417 TTY 617 723-2500 Voice MOS.org

ASL, CC, ALDS

National Amusements

Showcase Cinema Revere 565 Squire Road Revere, MA 02151 781 284-5700 TTY/V RW

National Amusements Showcase Cinema Worcester North

135 Brooks Street Worcester, MA 01606 508 852-2944

RW

National Center for Accessible Media NCAM

Rear View Captioned Movies 125 Western Ave Boston, MA 02134 617 300-32489 TTY 617 300-3400 Voice 617 300-1035 Fax ncam.wgbh.org

North Shore Music Theatre

PO Box 62 Beverly, MA 01915 978 921-7883 TTY 978 232-7200 Voice 978 921-6351 Fax NSMT.org ASL

Old Sturbridge Village

1 Old Sturbridge Village Road Old Sturbridge, MA 01566 508 347-5388 TTY 508 347-3362 Voice OSV.org ASL. OC

VSA Arts of Massachusetts

China Trade Center 2 Boylston Street Boston, MA 02116 617 350-6836 TTY 617 350-7713 Voice 617 482-4298 Fax VSAMass.org

Wang Center for Performing Arts

270 Tremont Street
Boston, MA 02116
617 482-5757 TTY
617 482-9393 Voice
617 451-1436 Fax
WWW.WangCenter.org
ASL, ALDS

Wellesley College Davis Museum and Cultural Center

106 Central Street
Wellesley, MA 02481
781 283-2434 TTY
781 283-2051 Voice
781 283-2064 Fax
Wellesley.edu/DavisMuseum
ALDS

Wheelock Family Theatre

200 The Riverway Boston, MA 02215 617 731-4426 TTY 617 879-2147 Voice 617 734-4760 Fax Wheelock.edu/WFT ASL, ALDS

Worcester Foothills Theatre

100 Front Street Suite 137 Worcester, MA 01608 508 754-4018 TTY/V 508 754-3314 V/ group rates 508 767-0676 Fax FoothillsTheatre.com

ASL, ALDS

Worcester Historical Museum

30 Elm Street Worcester, MA 01609 508 753-8278 Voice WorcesterHistory.com ASL

Worcester Public Library

3 Salem Square Worcester, MA 01608 508 799-1724 TTY 508 799-1655 Voice worcpublib.org/ ALD

Access: Interpreting

The Massachusetts Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing is the sole referral agency for interpreters in the state of Massachusetts. Organizations involved in the training and certification of interpreters are listed in this section.

D.E.A.F. Inc. Interpreter Mentorship Program PO Box 229 Manchester, MA 01944 617 254-4041 TTY/V deafinconline.org/services/int erpreter

Massachusetts Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing MCDHH Interpreter/CART Referral Department Massachusetts State Screening Please see contact info on page 6.

Massachusetts Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf MassRID PO Box 2171 Westfield, MA 01806 massrid.org

Northeastern University Interpreter Training Program 360 Huntington Ave. 405 Meserve Hall Boston, MA 02115 617 373-3067 TTY 617 373-3064 Voice 617 373-3065 Fax 800 944-5538 Toll Free ASL.NEU.edu

Northern Essex Community College Interpreter Training Program 100 Elliot Way Haverhill, MA 01830 978 556-3673 TTY 978 556-3662 Voice 978 556-3740 Fax necc.mass.edu/

Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf RID 333 Commerce Street Alexandria, VA 22314 703 838-0459 TTY 703 838-0030 Voice 703 838-0454 Fax rid.org

Access: Religious Resources

Archdiocesan Ministry with the

The places of worship listed in this section provide interpreted services or services in ASL. Please check with individual listings for the details and times of services.

Deaf and Hard of Hearing Communities -Archdiocese of Boston 2121 Commonwealth Ave Brighton, MA 02135 617 787-5083 TTY 617 746-5645 Voice

617 746-5646 Fax

Beth El Temple Center 2 Concord Ave Belmont, MA 02478 617 484-6668 Voice 617 484-6020 Fax ma002.urj.net/

Cathedral of the Holy Cross ASL Interpreted Mass 1400 Washington Street Boston, MA 02118 617 542-5682 Voice angelfire.com/ma4/cathedral/home

Deaf Community Center DCC

Main Office 75 Bethany Road Framingham, MA 1702 508 875-3617 TTY/V 508 875-0354

Deaf Ministry Grace Chapel

59 Worthen Road Lexington, MA 02421 781 674-2825 TTY 781 862-8351 Voice x122 781 674-2824 Fax grace.org.

Diocese of Springfield Ministry with the Deaf

34 Nye Street Springfield, MA 01104 413 736-0020 TTY/V diospringfield.org/ministries

Emmanuel Baptist Deaf Chapel

38 Front Street
West Springfield, MA 01089
413 737-4488 TTY/V
netministries.org/see/churches/exe/ch15437

Faith Baptist Church

ASL Interpreted Ministry 190 Center Street Carver, MA 02330 508 866-5919 Voice 508 866-5919 Fax faithbaptistcarver.org

First Assembly of God Handelujah Deaf Church

30 Tyler Prentice Road Worcester, MA 01605 508 473-1074

Holy Ghost Parish Center

ASL Interpreted/Signed English Mass 518 Washington Street Whitman, MA 02382 781 447-4421 Voice 781 447-1375 Fax HolyGhostParish.com

Immanuel Deaf Church

30 Gordon Street Boston, MA 02134 617 782-8120 TTY 617 562-0220 Voice

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness

291 Salem Street Malden, MA 02148 781 322-4928 Voice

Osterville Baptist Church

840 Main Street Osterville, MA 02655 508 428-2787 Voice 508 428-2789 Fax OstervilleBaptist.org

Reform Temple Beth David

1060 Randolph Street Canton, MA 02021 71 828-2275 templebethdavid.com

Sacred Heart Church

340 Centre Street Middleboro, MA 02346 508 947-0444 Voice 508 947-2364 Fax DeafCatholic.org

Saint Mary of the Angels

ASL Interpreted Mass 2056 Columbus Ave Roxbury, MA 02119 617 445-1524

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church of the Deaf

18 Williston Road Brookline, MA 02445 617 734-6078 TTY 617 738-0193 Voice 617 738-0197 Fax

St. Anthony Parish

Religious Education for the Deaf 893 Central Street Lowell, MA 01852 DeafCatholic.org

St. Augustine Parish

ASL Interpreted Mass 43 Essex Street Andover, MA 01810 978 475-0050 staugustineparish.org/

St. Bartholomew Church

Mass in Signed English 1180 Greendale Ave Needham, MA 02492 781 444-3434

St. Bernadette Church

Mass in Signed English 1026 North Main Street Randolph, MA 02368

St. Dominic's Church

1277 Grand Army Highway Route 6 PO Box 205 Swansea, MA 02777 508 675-7206

St. Margaret Church

Mass in Signed English 111 Winn Street Burlington, MA 01803 617 272-3111

St. Mary Church

329 Hanover Street Hanover, MA 02339

St. Patrick Catholic Church

ASL Interpreted Mass 71 Central Street Stoneham, MA 02180 781 438-0960

St. Theresa Deaf Church

Mass in ASL 444 Mt. Auburn Ave Watertown, MA 02172 617 787-5083 617 746-5645 617 746-5646 deafcatholic.org

Temple Emanuel - Conservative

385 Ward Street Newton Center, MA 02459 617 558-8100 templeemanuel.com/

Temple Israel

477 Longwood Avenue Boston, MA 02215 617 731-3711 Fax Pulitsky@tisreal.org tisrael.org

The First Church - Boxford

ASL Interpreted Ministry 4 Georgetown Road Boxford, MA 01921 978 887-5841 FirstChurchBoxford.org

The First Congregational Church

146 East Main Street Hopkinton, MA 01748 508 435-5900 TTY/V FCCH.org

The First Parish in Cambridge Unitarian Universalist

3 Church Street Cambridge, MA 02138 617 868-6178 TTY 617 876-7772 Voice firstparishcambridge.org

Jubilee Christian Church

1500 Blue Hill Avenue Boston MA 02126 617 296-5683 617 296-2611 jubileecci.org

Trinity Episcopal Church

3 Goddard Avenue Rockland, MA 02370 781 871-006 Voice 781 878-6755 Fax

Advocacy

The entries listed here are private and state agencies that provide aid, assistance, and support to promote the welfare of individuals at risk or disadvantage in their living situation, employment status, health or income, as well as being involved with advocacy for legislation that will benefit citizens with hearing loss. (Inclusion does not indicate involvement with entire list of services.)

Adaptive Environments, Inc.

ADA National Access for Public Schools Project 374 Congress Street Ste 301 Boston, MA 02210 617 695-1225 TTY/V 617 482-8099 Fax adaptiveenvironments.org

Disabled Persons Protection Commission DPPC

50 Ross Way Quincy, MA 02169 617 727-6465 Voice Hotline: 800 426-9009 TTY/V mass.gov/dppc/dppc

Hard of Hearing Advocates

245 Prospect Street Framingham, MA 01701 508 875-8662 508 875-0145 Fax hohadvocates.org

Massachusetts Attorney General

One Ashburton Place Boston, MA 02108 617 727-4765 TTY 617 727-2200 Voice http://www.ago.state.ma.us/

Massachusetts Architectural

Access Board

One Ashburton PI., Rm 1310 Boston, MA 02108 617 727-0019 TTY 617 727-0660 Voice 800 828-7222 Toll Free 617 727-0665 Fax mass.gov/aab Massachusetts Association for Community Action

MASSCAP

105 Chauncy St., 3rd Floor Boston, MA 02111 617 357-6086 Voice 617 357-6542 Fax masscap.org

ASL/Deaf Awareness Consultants

Presentations, training or consultation on Deaf Culture and Deaf Awareness are available through the organizations listed in this category. These are educational opportunities and are therefore different from advocacy. If you require an advocate, please consult the section titled 'Advocacy'.

Karen Signs It PO Box 302 Beverly, MA 01915 978 921-1573 KRGlickman@aol.com Communication Access Training and Technology Services Department CATTS at the Massachusetts Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing MCDHH (see contact information for main office on page 6)

Associations and Organizations

Organizations of special interest to the Deaf, late deafened, hard of hearing or those involved with them are listed in this section. Most often, a national organization is included in order to provide the contact information for the local chapter. The list is by no means exhaustive, rather is focused primarily on resources for the state of Massachusetts.

Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf 3417 Volta Place, NW Washington, DC 20007 202 337-5220 Voice 202 337-8314 Fax AGBell.org

Massachusetts Chapter of
Alexander Graham Bell
Association for the Deaf and
Hard of Hearing
866 967-6907 Toll Free
massagbell.org

American Association of the Deaf-Blind
814 Thayer Ave.
Silver Spring, MD 20910
301 495-4402 TTY
301 495-4403 Voice
301 495-4404 Fax
aadb.org

American School for the Deaf Alumni Association Massachusetts Chapter Box 824 139 North Main Street West Hartford, CT 06107 asd-1817.org/alumni

American Tinnitus

Association

PO Box 5 Portland, OR 97207 503 248-9985 Voice 800 634-8978 Toll Free 503 248-0024 Fax ata.org

Association of Late Deafened Adults

ALDA, Inc.

1131 Lake St. #204 Oak Park, IL 60301 708 358-0135 TTY 877 907-1738 Voice 866 889-8647 Toll Free alda.org

ALDA Boston Chapter

PO Box 323 East Bridgewater, MA 02333 202 337-5221 TTY ALDABoston.org

Beverly School for the Deaf

6 Echo Drive Beverly, MA 01915 978 927-7070 TTY/Voice Beverlyschoolforthedeaf.org

Children of Deaf Adults CODA

PO Box 30715 Santa Barbara, CA 93130 CODA-International.org

Clarke School for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

Alumni Association Round Hill Road Northhampton, MA 01060 978 369-0903 alumniclub.org/clarke/csaa

D.E.A.F. Inc.:

Boston Black Deaf Advocates BBDA

Asian Deaf Association of New England ADANE

Boston Latino Deaf

Association BLDA

215 Brighton Ave Allston, MA 02134 617 254-4041 V/TTY 800 886-5195 V/TTY 617 254-7091 Fax

Deaf Woman United DWU Western Massachusetts Chapter

169 Glen Meadow Road Franklin, MA 02038 DWU.org

Gallaudet University Alumni Association GUAA Massachusetts

Chapter

22 Grove Place #27 Winchester, MA 01890 781 729-9458 TTY 781 729-5154 Voice/Fax alumni.gallaudet.edu

Hard of Hearing Advocates

245 Prospect Street Framingham, MA 01701 508 875-8662 Voice 508 875-0145 Fax Hohadvocates.org

International Catholic Deaf

Association

IDCA Chapter #121

101 Shephard Street Chicopee, MA 01013 413 533-8923 TTY DeafCatholic.com

Massachusetts Association of the Deaf

MSAD Headquarters

220 Main Street Malden, MA 02148 781 388-9115 TTY 781 388-9114 Voice 781 388-9015 Fax MSAD.org

MSAD Western Office

143 Dwight Street Springfield, MA 01103 413 734-9199 TTY 413 734-9100 Voice 413 739-9015 Fax MSAD.org

Massachusetts Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf MassRID

PO Box 2171 Westfield, MA 01806 MassRID.org

National Association for the

Deaf

814 Thayer Ave. Silver Spring, MD 20910 301 587-1789 TTY/Voice 301 587-1291 Fax nad.org

National Court Reporters

Association

NCRA

8224 Old Courthouse Road Vienna, VA 22182 703 556-6289 TTY 703 556-6272 Voice 800 272-6272 Toll Free 703 556-6291 Fax NCRAonline.org

National Fraternal Society of the Deaf

1118 South Sixth Street Springfield, IL 62703 217 789-7438 TTY 217 789-7429 Voice 217 789-7489 Fax

nfsd.com

NFSD Springfield, MA

Division #67

808 Grayson Drive Springfield, MA 01119

WWW.NFSD.com

NFSD Boston, MA

Division#35

PO Box 419

Amesbury, MA 01913

New England Deaf Senior Citizens

75 Bethany Road Framingham, MA 01702 508 879-7658 TTY 508 879-7651 Fax DeafSeniors.org

World Federation of the Deaf

PO Box 65 SF-CO401 Helsinki, Finland

Batteries for Hearing Aids, Cochlear Implants and Assistive Technology

Batteries for hearing instruments can be purchased from hearing instrument distributors, drug stores and other stores that carry electronics. However, purchasing batteries in quantity and on the internet can provide substantial savings. While only a sampling, the companies listed in this category sell batteries used in hearing aids, cochlear implants and assistive technology.

Micropower Battery Company

80 NE 13th Street Miami, FL 33132-1532 305 371-9200 Voice 305 371-9400 Fax 866 999-2355 Toll Free

microbattery.com

'You-do-it' Electronics Center

40 Franklin Street Needham, MA 02494 Call: (781) 449-1005 or Fax: (781) 449-1009 youdoitelectronics.com

Carreer Resources: Employment Services

Agencies listed here offer assistance and training in finding employment and have demonstrated sensitivity or programming specifically for people who are Deaf or hard of hearing. The Rehabilitation Commission has a number of offices statewide. Contact them at their main number to determine the office nearest to you with the appropriate program.

Community Enterprises

441 Pleasant Street Northampton, MA 01060 413 584-1460

communityenterprises.com

Massachusetts Division of **Employment and Training** DET

19 Staniford Street 2nd FI. Boston, MA 02114 888 527-1912 TTY 617 626-6535 Voice 617 570-8581 Fax DETMA.org.

Massachusetts Rehabilitation

Commission MRC Administrative Offices Fort Point Place

27 Wormwood Street Boston, MA 1616 617 204-3600 TTY/V 617 727-1354 Fax state.ma.us/MRC

WORK Inc

3 Arlington Street Quincy, MA 02171 617 691-1500 Voice 617 691-1595 Fax workinc.org/deaf_services

Carreer Resources: Supported Employment Programs

This is a list of programs offering employment possibilities for people requiring support while finding, training for and keeping a job. They specialize in removing the barriers associated with communication but are not limited to that alone. Several of the organizations have regional offices so please check for services in your area regardless of the home address.

Community Enterprises, Inc.

287 High Street Holyoke, MA 01040 413 534-2940 TTY 413 536-4200 Voice 413 534-4839 Fax communityenterprises.com

Community Work Services, Inc.

174 Portland Street Boston, MA 02114 617 720-2233 TTY/V 617 367-4759 Fax cwsbos.com

Employment Options, Inc.

82 Brighton Street Marlborough, MA 01752 508 485-5051 Voice 508 485-8807 Fax employmentoptions.org

WORK, Inc.

3 Arlington Street Quincy, MA 02171 617 691-1500 Voice 617 691-1595 Fax WorkInc@WorkInc.org workinc.org

Career Resources: Training Programs with D/HH Focus

This category lists the schools that offer preparatory programs for Deaf or hard of hearing people or programs that prepare people to work in the field with people who are Deaf or hard of hearing.

Boston University

Department of Developmental

Studies and Counseling

605 Commonwealth Ave Boston, MA 02215 617 353-5191 TTY 617 353-3205 Voice 617 353-3292 Fax bu.edu/education/deptofd

<u>bu.edu/education/deptofdevs</u> <u>tudies/devstudies/deafstudie</u> s/deaf

Northeastern University American Sign Language

Program

360 Huntington Ave. 405 Meserve Hall Boston, MA 02115 617 373-3067 TTY 617 373-3064 Voice 617 373-3065 Fax 800 944-5538 Toll Free ASL.NEU.edu Interpreter Education Project

ASL.NEU.edu/nuiep

Northern Essex Community College

Interpreter Training Program

100 Elliot Way Haverhill, MA 01830 978 556-3673 TTY 978 556-3662 Voice 978 556-3740 Fax necc.mass.edu/ Smith College & Clarke School for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Graduate Teacher Education

Program

College Hall 24 Smith College Northhampton, MA 01063 413 584-3450 TTY 413 585-3050 Voice 413 584-3054 Fax ClarkeSchool.org

Cued Speech

Cued speech is a visual system that uses 8 hand shapes in 4 different positions on the face combined with the natural movements of the mouth during speech to differentiate between sounds that look alike on the lips. The following agencies offer Cued Speech information and training.

Hearing Rehabilitation
Foundation
New England Cued Speech
Services
35 Medford Street
Somerville, MA 02143
617 258-5976
617 821-2589
web7.mit.edu/CuedSpeech

National Cued Speech Association 23970 Hermitage Road Cleveland, OH 44122 800 459-3529 cuedspeech.mit.edu/

Deafblind Services

The organizations and agencies in this category provide resources that empower Deaf-Blind individuals including aids to independence, outreach, social events, information and transportation services.

Carroll Center for the Blind

770 Center Street Newton, MA 02458 617 969-6200 Voice 800 852-3131 Toll Free 617 969-6204 Fax Carroll.org Deafblind Contact Center DBCC C/O D.E.A.F., Inc. 215 Brighton Ave

Allston, MA 02134 617 254-4925 TTY

DBCC_MA@yahoo.com

Helen Keller National Center

New England Regional Office PO Box 266 Lincoln, MA 01773 781 259-7100 TTY/V 781 259-4014 Fax hknc.org

National Family Association for Deaf-Blind

141 Middle Neck Road Sands Point, NY 11050 800 255-0411 Toll Free 516 883-9060 Fax NFADB.org

Massachusetts Association for the Blind

200 Ivy Street Brookline, MA 02446 617 738-5110 Voice 617 738-1247 Fax MABlind.org

MAB Community Services

23A Elm Street Watertown, MA 02472 617 926-0290 TTY 617 926-4232 Voice 617 926-1412 Fax 800 852-3029 V Toll Free

Massachusetts Commission for the Blind MCB

48 Boylston Street Boston, MA 02116 617 727-5550 Voice 800 392-6556 TTY Toll Free 800 392-6450 V Toll Free http://mass.gov/mcb

National Braille Press NBP

88 St. Stephen Street Boston, MA 02115 617 266-6160 Voice 888 965-8965 Toll Free 617 437-0456 Fax NBP.org

National Information Clearinghouse on Deaf-

Blindness DB-LINK

DB-LINK
345 North Monmouth Ave
MONMOUTH, OR 97361
800 854-7013 TTY Toll Free
800 438-9376 V Toll Free
503 838-8150 Fax
TR.WOU.edu/dblink

New England Home for the Deaf NEHD

154 Water Street Danvers, MA 01923 978 774-0445 V/TTY 978 774-0271 WWW.NEHomesDeaf.org

New England Center Deaf-Blind Project

175 North Beacon Street Watertown, MA 02472 617 924-5525 TTY 617 972-7515 Voice 617 972-7354 Fax NECDBP.org

Perkins School for the Blind Deaf-Blind Program

175 North Beacon Street Watertown, MA 02472 617 924-3434 Voice 617 926-2027 Fax Perkins.org

Domestic Violence Resources

Accessible venues for information and/or services available to the individuals and families who have experienced domestic violence in their lives have been included in this section. Hotlines have been included.

Casa Myrna Vazquez, Inc. SafeLink 24-Hour Hotline

PO Box 180019 Boston, MA 02118 877 521-2601 TTY 877 785-2020 Voice CasaMyrna.org

Finex House

Deaf Friendly and Mobility Accessible Shelter PO Box 1154 Jamaica Plain, MA 02130 617 288-1054 TTY/V 617 287-0553 Fax geocities.com/finexhouse

HAWC

Help for Abused Women and Their Children 27 Congress Street

Salem, MA 01970 978 744-1818 TTY 978 744-8552 Voice 978 745-6886 Fax helpabusedwomen.org

Jane Doe Inc/Massachusetts Coalition Against Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence 14 Beacon Street, Ste. 507

14 Beacon Street, Ste. 507 Boston, MA 02108 617 263-2200 617 248-0922 Voice 617 248-0902 Fax janedoe.org

National Domestic Violence Hotline

24-Hour Hotline P.O. Box 161810 Austin, Texas 78716 800 787-3224 TTY 800 799-7233 Voice 512 453-8541 Fax NDVH.org

Women's Crisis Center 24-Hour Hotline Newburyport, MA 978 388-1888 TTY/V womenscrisiscenter.com

Women's Resource Center 24-Hour Hotline 107 Winter Street Haverhill, MA 01830 978 685-2480 TTY 978 373-4041 Voice

Womensresourcecenterinc.org

Education: College / University Services for Students with Disabilities

Colleges and universities are obligated to provide communication access for Deaf and hard of hearing students enrolled in classes. Those colleges and universities with a program designed specifically for the Deaf or hard of hearing and/or an office that provides communication access are listed in this section.

Boston University Office of Disability Services

19 Deerfield Street Boston, MA 02215 617 353-3658 V/TTY 617 353-9646 Fax bu.edu/disability/

College of the Holy Cross ASL/Deaf Studies Program

One College Street PO Box 172 A Worcester, MA 01610 508 793-3344 TTY/V 508 793-2601 Fax holycross.edu

Office of Disability Services

508 793-3591 TTY 508 793-3363 Voice 508 793-3334 Fax

Gallaudet University

800 Florida Ave, NE Washington, DC 20002 202 651-5000 V/TTY 800 995-0550 Toll Free Gallaudet.edu

Holyoke Community College Office for Students with

Disabilities
303 Homestead Avenue
Holyoke, MA 01040
413 536-0602 TTY
413 552-2417 Voice
HCC.mass.edu

Massachusetts Bay
Community College
Office of Disability Services
50 Oakland Street
Wellesley, MA 02481
781 239-2513 TTY
781 239-3000 Voice
781 239-1047 Fax
massbay.edu

National Center on Deafness California State University, Northridge

18111 Nordhoff Street Northridge, CA 91330 818 677-2054 V/TTY 818 677-7192 Fax ncod.csun.edu

National Technical Institute of the Deaf NTID

52 Lomb Memorial Drive Rochester, NY 14623 585 475-6400 TTY/V 585 475-5978 Fax ntid.rit.edu

Northeast Technical Assistance Center NETAC

52 Lomb Memorial Drive Rochester, NY 14623 585 475-6433 TTY/V 585 475-7660 Fax NETAC.RIT.edu State Site at NECC

100 Elliott Street Haverhill, MA 01830 978 556-3341 TTY/V 978 556-3104 Fax netac.rit.edu/states/ma.

Northeastern University Disability Resource Center

360 Huntington Ave

20 Dodge Hall Boston, MA 02115 617 373-2730 TTY 617 373-2675 Voice 617 373-7800 Fax access-disability-deaf.neu.edu

Northern Essex Community College Deaf and Hard of Hearing

100 Elliot Way Student Center Building F113 Haverhill, MA 01830 978 556-3655 TTY 978 556-3654 Voice

978 556-3168 Fax NECC.mass.edu

Services

Quinsigamond Community College

Disability Services

670 West Boylston Street Administration Building 246 Worcester, MA 01606 508 854-4524 TTY 508 854-4471 Voice 508 854-6943 Fax QCC.mass.edu/DS

University of

Massachusetts/Amherst
Disability Services
231 Whitmore Admin. Building
181 President Drive
Amherst, MA 01003-9313
413 545-0892 TTY/V
413 577-0122 Fax
UMass.edu/disability

Education: Deaf Adult Education

These organizations offer Continuing Education classes for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing community in a variety of subject areas, including English as a second language and ASL.

D.E.A.F. Inc. Adult Education Program215 Brighton Ave Allston, MA 02134 617 254-4041 TTY/V 617 254-7091 Fax <u>deafinconline.org/education/</u>abe

Northern Essex Community College NECC Gallaudet University Regional Center 100 Elliott Way

Haverhill, MA 01830 978 556-3701 TTY/V 978 556-3703 Fax necc.mass.edu/gallaudet/ind ex Valley Opportunity Council Community Action Agency 152 Center Street 2nd Floor Chicopee, MA 01013 413 612-0206 TTY/V valleyopp.com/

Education: Schools for D/HH Children

Amherst Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

Crocker Farm School

280 West Street Amherst, MA 01002 413 256-6726 TTY/V Crockerfarm.org/programs/d eaf/deafprog.htm

Assabet Valley Collaborative

215 Fitchburg Street Marborough, MA 01752 508 485-9430 TTY 508 624-7130 Voice 508 624-7130 assabetcareers.org/avc

Beverly School for the Deaf

6 Echo Avenue Beverly, MA 01915 978 927-7070 TTY/V BeverlySchoolfortheDeaf.org

Boston Arts Academy

174 Ipswich Street Boston, MA 02215 617 634-6542 TTY 617 635-6470 Voice 617 635-8854 Fax boston-arts-academy.org

Cape Cod Collaborative

5700 Le May Avenue Otis ANGB, MA 02542 508 564-5099 Voice 508 564-5263 Fax CCCollaborative.org

CAPS Collaborative

53 School Street Gardner, MA 01440 978 632-2208 Voice 978 632-2212 Fax

C.A.S.E. Collaborative

Program

120 Meriam Road Concord. MA 01742 978 318-1534 Voice 978 318-1536 Fax Colonial.net/Progweb/caseweb

Chicopee Public Schools Special Education Department

180 Broadway Chicopee, MA 01020 413 594-1529 Voice 413 594-1803 Fax Chicopee.mec.edu

Clarke School for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

47 Round Hill Road Northampton, MA 01060 413 584-3450 TTY/V 413 584-8273 Fax Clarkeschool.org

Clarke School East

1 Whitman Road Canton, MA 02021 781 821-3904 TTY 781 821-3499 Voice 781 821-3905 Fax ClarkeSchool.org/Clarkeast

Duxbury Middle School

130 St. George Street Duxbury, MA 02332 781 934-7643 Voice 781 934-7644 Fax Duxbury.k12.ma.us

EDCO Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing **Newton North High School** 360 Lowell Street

Newtonville, MA 02460 617 244-2403 TTY 617 244-3407 Voice edcollab.org/Deaf%20Progra m%20Info

Gloucester Public Schools

6 Schoolhouse Road Gloucester, MA 01930 978 281-9800 Voice 978 281-9899 Fax gloucesterschools.com

Horace Mann School for the **Deaf and Hard of Hearing**

40 Armington Street Allston, MA 02134 617 635-8534 TTY/V 617 635-6379 Fax Boston.k12.ma.us/mann

Lowell Public Schools Department of Special Education

155 Merrimack Street Lowell, MA 01852 978 937-7647 978 441-3761 KBaehr@lowell.k12.ma.us

New Bedford Public Schools Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

Paul Rodrigues Administration Building 455 Country Street New Bedford, MA 02740 508 997-4511 508 991-7483 NewBedford.k12.ma.us

READS Collaborative

105 East Grove Street Middleborough, MA 02346 508 947-8530 TTY/V 508 946-1088 Fax READSCollab.org

SEEM Collaborative

55 Walkers Brook Dr Ste 260 Reading, MA 01867 781 944-2099 Voice 781 944-5088 Fax SEEMCollaborative.org

The Learning Center for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children TLC

848 Central Street Framingham, MA 01701 508 879-5110 TTY/V WWW.TLCdeaf.org

Randolph Campus

30 Seton Way Randolph, MA 02368 781 963-5110 TTY/V

Willie Ross School for the Deaf

32 Norway Street
Longmeadow, MA 01106
413 567-0374 TTY/V
413 567-8808 Fax
WWW.WillieRossSchool.org

Evaluation Services

Programs offering evaluation, assessment and management of a condition, diagnostic services and educational evaluations are listed in this category. Many of the programs offer information and referral and have Resource Centers.

Boston Children's Hospital Child Protection Team.

Evaluates patients for suspected abuse or neglect 617 355-7979

ChildrensHospital.org

Center for Deaf and Hard of

Hearing Children

Audiology Program 300 Longwood Avenue Boston, MA 02115 617 355-6603 TTY 617 355-7404 Voice 617 740-0200 Fax (same web site address)

Clarke School for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

47 Round Hill Road Northampton, MA 01060 413 584-3450 TTY/V 413 584-8273 Fax WWW.ClarkeSchool.org

Willie Ross School for the Deaf Outreach Department

32 Norway Street Longmeadow, MA 01106 413 567-0374 TTY/V 413 567-8808 Fax WillieRossSchool.org

Financial Services

Business Resources

Tax Preparation Service 99 Walnut Street, #D1 Saugus, MA 01906 781 231-5634 TTY 781 231-2451 Voice 781 231-5601 Fax brtax.com

Health and Medical: AIDS

The following agencies provide information, referral, advocacy, assistance and support for people with HIV and AIDS. Hotline numbers are listed with the agencies when they are available.

AIDS Action Committee

294 Washington St. 5th floor Boston, MA 02108 617 437-6200 Phone 617 437-1394 TTY 617 437-6445 Fax

www.aac.org

HIV Hotline

800 235-2331 TTY 617 437-1672 TTY

Boston Living Center BLC

29 Stanhope Street Boston, MA 02116 617 267-7059 TTY 617 236-1012 Voice 617 536-2055 Fax BostonLivingCenter.org

Center for Disease Control National AIDS Hotline

800 243-7889 TTY 800 342-2437 Voice Ashastd.org/nah/tty

D.E.A.F. Inc Project H.O.P.E.

215 Brighton Ave Allston, MA 02314 617 254-4041 TTY 617 254-4041 Voice 800 886-5195 Toll Free 617 254-7091 Fax Deafinconline.org

Massachusetts Department of Public Health

AIDS Bureau 250 Washington St., 3rd Fl. Boston, MA 02108 617 624-5387 TTY 800 443-2437 voice mass.gov/dph/aids/hivaids

Health and Medical: Audiology Services

Organizations which provide comprehensive audiology services through a professionally trained person who diagnoses problems with hearing and balance, information about those services, resources for finding an Audiologist and agencies that verify appropriate licenses are listed in this section.

Academy of Dispensing Audiologists

1 Windsor Cove, Suite305 Columbia, SC 29223 800 445-8629 Toll Free 803 765-0860 Fax audiologist.org

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Division of Professional Licensure

239 Causeway Street Boston, MA 02114 617 727-2099 TTY 617 727-3074 Voice 617 727-2197 Fax mass.gov/dpl/boards/he

Northeastern University Speech-Language and Hearing Center

30 Leon Street
Boston, MA 02115
617 373-8927 TTY
617 373-2492 Voice
617 373-8756 Fax
bouve.neu.edu/Health/slpa_s
peechcenter

Health and Medical: Cochlear Implant Resources

Resources listed here include the manufacturers of cochlear implants, programs for cochlear implant users or prospective candidates, distributors of accessories, information sources and support groups.

Advanced Bionics

Corporation

12740 San Fernando Rd Sylmar, CA 91342 800 678-3575 TTY 661 362-1400 Voice 800 678-2575 Voice 661 362-1500 Fax Advancedbionics.com

Boston Children's Hospital Dept of Otolaryngology Cochlear Implant Program 300 Longwood Ave, Fegan 9 Boston, MA 02115 617 730-0152 TTY 617 355-6461 Voice 617 730-0320 Fax childrenshospital.org

Cochlear Corporation

Nucleus 22 400 Inverness Parkway Ste 400 Englewood, CO 80112 303 790-3010 Voice 800 523-5798 Toll Free 303 792-9025 Fax Cochlear.com

Cochlear Implant Association,

Inc. CIA

5335 Wisconsin Ave, NW Ste 440 Washington, DC 20015 202 895-2781 Voice 202 895-2782 Fax CICL.org

Local Chapter:

Minuteman Implant Club

Larry Orloff MIC President 209 Rolling Ridge Road Amherst, MA 01002 413 549-4108 CICI.org

House Ear Institute

2100 W. Third Street Los Angeles, CA 90057 213 484-2642 TTY 213 483-4431 Voice 800 388-8612 Toll Free 213 483-8789 Fax HEI.org

Lahey Clinic

41 Mall Road Burlington, MA 01805 781 744-8797 TTY 781 744-5100 Voice Lahey.org

Massachusetts Ear & Eye **Infirmary MEEI**

243 Charles Street Boston, MA 02114 617 523-5498 TTY 617 523-7900 Voice meei.harvard.edu

North Suburban Center

One Montvale Avenue Stoneham, MA 02180 781 279-0864 Voice

South Suburban Center for

Otolaryngology

Crown Colony Office Park 500 Congress Street Quincy, MA 02169 617 774-1717 Voice

West Suburban Center for

Otolaryngology

Green Medical Office 2000 Washington St. Newton, MA 02462 617 630-1699 Voice

Med-EL Corporation

2222 E. Highway 54 Ste B-180 Durham, NC 27713 919 572-2222 Voice 919 484-9229 Fax WWW.medel.com

Tufts-New England Medical Center

Speech, Language Pathology & Audiology Department 750 Washington Street Boston, MA 02111 617 636-5496 Voice 617 636-1479 Fax NEMC.org

Health and Medical: General Pediatrics

New England Medical Center

Deaf Family Clinic

750 Washington Street Boston, MA 02111 617 636-5541 nemc.org/home/departments

/pedi/multi

Health and Medical: Vision Care Services

Baker Eye Associates Vision Care Services 484 Lowell Street, Suite 1C Peabody, MA 01960 978 535-1163 TTY/V 888 372-2537 Toll Free 978 535-9328 Fax

Hard of Hearing Resources

Resources for information and/or support for people who are hard of hearing have been included in this category. Please note that information about Cochlear Implants, hearing aids or audiology are listed in the categories by those titles

American Academy of Otolaryngology - Head and **Neck Surgery**

One Prince Street Alexandria, VA 22314 703 519-1585 TTY 703 836-4444 Voice entnet.org/

American Tinnitus Association ATA

P.O.Box 5 Portland, OR 97207 800 634-8978 Toll Free 503 24-9985 503 248-0024 Fax ata.org

Association of Late Deafened Adults

ALDA, Inc.

1131 Lake St. #204 Oak Park, IL 60301 708 358-0135 TTY 877 907-1738 Voice 866 889-8647 Toll Free alda.org (Please see page 16 for Boston Chapter)

Association of Medical Professionals with Hearing Losses **AMPHL** amphl.org

AudiologyNet

audiologynet.com

Beyond Hearing

Internet/Email Based Discussion Forum geocities.com/heartland/prair ie/4727/bhnew

National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication **Disorders**

National Institutes of Health

31 Center Drive, MSC 2320 Bethseda, MD 20892-2320 301 402-0252 TTY 301 496-7243 Voice 301 402-0018 Fax nidcd.nih.gov/index

NIDCD Information Clearing

House

800 241-1055 TTY 800 241-1044 Voice nidcd.nih.gov/health/misc/cle aringhouse

Say What Club

World-Wide Internet/Email **Based Discussion Forum** saywhatclub.com

Self Help for Hard of Hearing People SHHH

National Organization 7910 Woodmont Ave, Ste. 1200 Bethesda, MD 20814 301 657-2249 TTY 301 657-2248 Voice 301 913-9413 Fax shhh.org/

Listing of MA Chapters can be found at:

hearingloss.org/StateChap/ma. http://shhh.org/StateChap/ma.html

Greater Boston Chapter SHHH-GBC

PO Box 95 Essex. MA 01929 617 787-8162 TTY/V KRockow@compuserve.com SHHH-Boston.org

North Boston Chapter

408 Broadway Lynn, MA 01904 781 592-6936 TTY/V Nellie.may@verizon.net Cape Cod Chapter SHHHCape Cod

8 Highview Drive Sandwich, MA 02563 508 888-9076 TTY/V nancy@shhhcapecod.org Central Massachusetts Chapter 508-755-1120 HEARMECO@earthlink.net

Hearing Aids: Financial Assistance and Recycling Programs

There are several options available regarding financial assistance for hearing aids listed in this section. Some options for financial assistance come through government agencies, some through non-profit agencies, and some are offered by private foundations. There are also programs that loan equipment and others provide refurbished equipment. Eligibility for assistance varies depending on financial need, age, and / or other eligibility requirements. Please contact each individual agency for the details of that specific program.

Note: If you have Medicaid coverage, costs for hearing aids will be covered. Medicare, however, will not cover the expense for hearing aids. If you have private health insurance coverage, check with your insurer to see if they will cover the expense before exploring other options for financial assistance.

Organizations that accept and distribute gently used hearing aids have been included here, as well. Recycling hearing aids is an excellent means of helping people who would otherwise be unable to benefit from this necessary, but expensive technology.

1. Title VII Part B

In Massachusetts, federal money from Title VII Part B funding is made available to all of the Independent Living Centers in Massachusetts for the purchase of equipment and services to assist people to maintain or achieve independence. Unfortunately, there is a long waiting list to receive this financial assistance.

To receive financial assistance through Title VII Part B certain eligibility guidelines must be followed. First, Title VII Part B is only for those who are not eligible for services under the Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission (MRC). Second, Title VII Part B must be the last choice for funding. This program is intended as a last resort only for those not eligible elsewhere; all other possible sources of funding should be explored, and evidence of such search should be kept, before applying for this service.

The program can provide funding for assistive technology, assistive listening devices and other disability-related equipment. It can also pay for one-time or very limited provision of other services such as the cost of an appointment with an audiologist. If you are working, on Social Security Disability (SSDI), or receive retirement benefits, you will need to complete a Financial Eligibility Verification form. If your income exceeds the limit, you may need to pay for a portion of your services. If you are on Supplemental Security Insurance (SSI) or Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC), you will *not* need to complete this form.

If you are interested in applying for the Title VII Part B program please contact any of the Independent Living Centers listed in the section by that title. The centers specialize in services for Deaf and Hard of Hearing People known. These programs employ persons who are themselves Deaf, late-deafened, or hard of hearing providing a peer consumer environment. If you have additional disabilities, you can also use the program for other equipment you might need. You should apply at the center nearest to you.

American Medical Resources Foundation

(recycles hearing aids)
P.O. Box 3609
36 Station Avenue
Brockton, MA 02404
401 789-4527 Voice
401 789-1849 Fax
amrf.com

Disabled Children's Relief Fund

PO Box 7420 402 Pennsylvania Ave. Freeport, NY 11520 516 377-1605 V dcrf.com/

The Hearing Impaired Kids Endowment Fund HIKE

The HIKE Fund, Inc. 10115 Cherryhill Place Spring Hill, FL 34608 352 688-2579 V/Fax missouriiojd.org/HIKE/

Knights of Columbus

P.O. Box 194

470 Washington Street Norwood, MA 02062 781 551-0628 Voice 781 551-0490 Fax massachusettsstatekofc.org/

Lions Club Massachusetts District 33-S Hearing

Foundation

Morton Hospital Speech, Hearing and Language Center 2007 Bay Street Ste B-100 Taunton, MA 02780 508 823-3050 Please contact your local Lions Club lionsclubs.org/EN/content/harp_centers

Massachusetts Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing MCDHH

Assistive Technology Fund

Department of Case Management and Social Services See contact information on page 6

Massachusetts Department of Public Health Division of Special Health

Needs

Special Medical Fund

250 Washington St. 4th Floor Boston, MA 02108 617 624-5992 TTY 617 624-5070 Voice 800 882-1435 Toll Free 617 624-5990 Fax mass.gov/dph/fch/specialfund

Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission MRC

(low interest loans for assistive technology) Central Administration Office 27 Wormwood Street Ste 600 Fort Point Place Boston, MA 02210 617 204-3600 TTY/V 800 245-6543 Toll Free 617 727-1354 Fax mass.gov/MRC

Miracle Ear Children's Foundation

PO Box 59261 Minneapolis, MN 55459 800 234-5422 763 268-4295 miracleear.com/resources/childrenI

NUsed Pilot Program

The MCDHH in collaboration with The Department of Speech, Language Pathology and Audiology Contact Sandra Cleveland 617 373-2496 sa.Cleveland@neu.edu
Bouvé College of Health Sciences 123 Behrakis Health Sciences Center Northeastern University Boston, MA 02115

The Hearing Foundation Hear Now

6700 Washington Ave. South Eden Prairie, MN 55344 866 354-3254 Voice 952 828-6946 Fax SoTheWorldMayHear.org

Travelers Protective Association of America

Scholarship Trust for the Deaf and Near Deaf 3755 Lindell Boulevard St. Louis, MO 63108-3476 314 371-0533 Voice 314 371-0537 Fax travelersprotectiveasn.com/deaf_scholarships

Veterans Administration Audiology Department

150 South Huntington Ave. Jamaica Plain, MA 02130 617 232-9500 Voice visn1.med.va.gov/boston/jplain

Hearing Aids: Insurance

Agencies listed below provide insurance for hearing devices against loss and/or accidental damage. Insurance can be purchased directly, or through the hearing aid dispenser, by completing an application and returning it with a check for the appropriate amount.

Discovery Hearing Aid Coop

4318 Downtowner Loop, North Suite K PO Box 161368 Mobile, AL 36616 334 342-1144 Voice 334 342-2158 Fax discovear.com

Esco

Ear Service Corporation 3215 Fernbrook Lane Plymouth, MN 55447 800 992-3726 Toll Free 763 559-4247 Voice earserv.com

National Ear Care Plan HearingUSA Hearing Care Network

6825 E. Tennessee Ave. Ste 415 Denver, CO 80224 800 999-1458 TTY/V 303 399-7719 Fax NECP.com

Midwest Hearing Industries

4510 West 77th St. Ste. 201 Minneapolis, MN 55435 800 821-5471 Toll Free 952 835-9481 Fax MWHI.com

Hearing Dog Service Centers

This is a list of organizations that train dogs as service animals to assist and support a person in maintaining his/her independence and the highest level of function in daily activities.

Assistance Dog United

Campaign

1221 Sebastopol Road Santa Rosa, CA 95407 800 284-3647 Toll Free 707 545-0800 assistancedogunitedcampaig n.org

Hearing Ear Dogs of New England, Ltd.

420 Groton Long Point Road Groton, CT 06340 860 446-1576 V/Fax

National Education of Assistance Dog Services, Inc

NEADS

PO Box 213 West Boylston, MA 01583 978 422-9064 TTY/V 978 422-3255 Fax WWW.NEADS.org

NEADS National Campus

305 Redemption Rock Trail South Princeton, MA 01541

National Hearing Dog Center,

Inc

1116 South Main Street Athol, MA 01331 978 249-9264 TTY/V

Delta Society

875 124th Ave. NE Suite 101 Bellevue, WA 98005 425 226-7357 Voice 425 235-1076 Fax <u>WWW.DeltaSociety.org</u>

Independent Living Services

The following Independent Living Services provide programs for people with hearing loss that include community education, advocacy, employment services, peer mentoring, support, communication access and services to empower the individual to achieve his/her goals for self sufficiency.

Boston Center for Independent Living BCIL

95 Berkeley St. Suite 206 Boston, MA 02116 617 338-6662 TTY 617 338-6665 Voice 617 338-6661 Fax Bostoncil.org

Cape Organization for the Rights of the Disabled CORD

1019 Iyannough Road, #4 Hyannis, MA 02601 508 775-8300 TTY/V 800 541-0282 TTY/V 508 775-7022 Fax Cordonline.org

Center for Living and Working CLW

Deaf and Hard of hearing **Program** 67 Millbrook Street Worcester, MA 01606 508 755-1003 TTY/V 508 363-1226 Fax Fitchburg Office 76 Summer Street Fitchburg, MA 01420 978 345-1568 TTY/V Framingham Office 24 Union Ave, Suite 4 Framingham, MA 01702 508 820- 0493 TTY/V 508 875-7181 Fax CenterLW.org

D.E.A.F. Inc. DHILS

Allston Office (Main) 215 Brighton Ave Allston, MA 02134 617 254-4925 TTY 617 254-4041 V/TTY 617 628-9186 Fax Deafinconline.org Middleboro Office 105 E. Grove Street Middleboro, MA 02346 508 947-5402 TTY/V 508 923-0652 Fax Salem Office 35 Congress Street Ste. 204 Salem, MA 01970 978 740-0394 TTY 978 740-0329 V 978 740-0389 Fax New Bedford Office 105 Williams Street, Rm. 25 New Bedford, MA 02740 508 990-1382 TTY 508 996-2170 Fax

Independent Associates, Inc

10 Oak Street, 2nd Floor Taunton, MA 02780 508 880-5325 TTY/V 508 880-6311 iacil.org

Independent Living Center of the North Shore and Cape Ann. Inc.

27 Congress Street # 107 Salem, MA 01970 978 745-1735 TTY 978 741-0077 Voice 888 751-0077 Toll Free 978 741-1133 Fax ilcnsca.org

Cape Ann Branch Addison Gilbert Hospital 298 Washington Street, Rm 4 Gloucester, MA 01930 978 283-4000 x366

Metrowest Center for Independent Living MWCIL

280 Irving Street Framingham, MA 01702 508 875-7853 TTY/V 508 875-8359 Fax secil.org

Northeast Independent Living Program NILP

20 Ballard Road Lawrence, MA 01843 978 687-4288 TTY/V/Fax nilp.org

Southeast Center for Independent Living SCIL

Merrill Building 66 Troy Street, Suite 3 Fall River, MA 02720 508 679-9210 TTY/V 508 677-2377 Fax www.secil.org/

Stavros Center for Independent Living, Inc.

Main Office 691 Southeast Street Amherst, MA 01002 413 256-0473 TTY/V 800 804-1899 Toll Free 413 256-0190 Fax stavros.org Springfield Office 262 Cottage Street Springfield, MA 01104 413 781-5555 TTY/V 413 733-5473 Fax Greenfield Office 55 Federal Street Suite 210 Greenfield, MA 01301 413 774-3001 Voice 413 772-2556 Fax

Legal Services

To comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, lawyers are obligated to provide reasonable accommodations for individuals with hearing loss. The organizations in this category provide advocacy in matters of accessibility, discrimination and protection of civil rights.

Disability Law Center, Inc.

Main office 11 Beacon Street, Suite 925 Boston, MA 02108 617 227-9464 TTY 800 381-0577 Toll Free TTY 617 723-8455 Voice 800 872-9992 Toll Free 617 723-9125 Fax Western MA office 32 Industrial Drive East Northampton, MA 01060 413 584-6919 TTY 413 584-6337 Voice 800 222-5619 Toll Free 413 584-2976 Fax dlc-ma.org

Michel W. Ford, Esq. Council to McDermott, Quilty & Miller LLP

Attorney at law practicing in areas of real estate law, civil litigation, personal injury, probate and small business law.
617 966-2553 Voice fordlaw@comcast.net

Legal Assistance Corporation of Central Massachusetts LACCM

405 Main Street, 4th Floor Worcester, MA 01608 508 755-3260 TTY 508 752-3718 Voice 800 649-3718 Toll Free masslegalservices.org

Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination

Boston Office
One Ashburton Place, Rm. 601
Boston, MA 02108
617 994-6196 TTY
617 994-6000 Voice
mass.gov/mcad
Springfield Office
436 Dwight Street, Rm. 220
Springfield, MA 01103
413 739-2145

Massachusetts Justice Project

405 Main St. Ste 300 Worcester, MA 01608 508 831-9888 TTY/V 508 831-0736 Fax Holyoke Office 57 Suffolk Street, Suite 401 Holyoke, MA 01040 413 533-2660 TTY 413 533-2660 Voice 413 535-1774 Fax

National Association of the Deaf

Law Center
814 Thayer Ave
Silver Spring, MD 20910
301 587-1789 TTY
301 587-1788 Voice
301 587-1791 Fax
NADLaw@NAD.org
nad.org

South Middlesex Legal Services

354 Waverly Street Framingham, MA 01702 508 620-1830 TTY/V 800 696-1501 Toll Free 508 620-2323 Fax smlegal.org

Western Massachusetts Legal Services WMLS

127 State Street, 4th Floor Springfield, MA 01103 413 781-7814 Voice 800 639-1109 TTY 413 746-3221 Fax wmlsl.org

Mental Health: Treatment Programs and Therapists

Providers listed in this category, organizations and individuals, have demonstrated experience and/or training in working with people who are Deaf, hard of hearing or late deafened. Some of the agencies have departments that offer services specifically designed for Deaf and hard of hearing people. There are options that include residential programs, out patient treatment, group and individual therapy. Inclusion in this category indicates communication access without specifying how that is achieved. Contact each agency or individual for specific information about services, specialties, access, method of payment, insurance reimbursement and availability.

John Anderson

Mainstream Adjustment Councilor Clarke School for the Deaf 413 582-1196 TTY 413 582-1132 Voice 413 586-6654 Fax ianderson@clarkeschool.org

Mary L. Bird, LCSW R.E.A.D.S. Collaborative

195 E. Grove Street Middleborough, MA 02346 508 947-8530 TTY/V 508 946-1088 Fax readscollab.org Birdcanuel@aol.com

Boston Children's Hospital Center for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children

Hearing Children
LO 301
300 Longwood Ave
Boston, MA 02115
617 355-6603 TTY
617 355-7404 Voice
617 730-0200 Fax
ChildrensHospital.org

Tina Buches, MSW, LICSW

234 Cabot Street, Suite 1 Beverly, MA 01915 978 927-1441

Cambridge Hospital

Outpatient Department Macht Building 1493 Cambridge St. Cambridge, MA 02139 617 591-6033 challiance.org

Cape Cod Hospital Behavioral Health Services

Psychiatric Center
27 Park Street
Hyannis, MA 02601
508 862-5566 Voice
800 545-5014 Toll Free
508 775-1598
capecodhealth.org

Child Guidance Center

110 Maple Street Springfield, MA 01103 413 732-7419 Voice

Lorna J. Davidson-Connelly, LMHC

CAB Health and Recovery

Services

Zero Centennial Drive Peabody, MA 01960 978 745-8890 <u>lidavcon@tmail.com</u> for emergencies

Frances Demiany, Ph.D.

6 Pleasant Street #205 Malden, MA 02148 781 321-6421 TTY/V

Department of Mental Health DMH

Central Office 25 Staniford Street Boston, MA 02114 617 727-9842 TTY 617 626-8073 Voice mass.gov/dmh

Division of Community Enterprises Project AIM

287 High Street, 3rd Floor Holyoke, MA 01040 413-534-2940 TTY 413 536-4200 Voice 413-493-3969 Fax TCook10456@aol.com

Tom Downes, LCSW

16 Trenton Street Manchester, NH 03104 603 665-8127 TTY 603 665-8126 Voice

Family Services of Central Massachusetts

31 Harvard Street Worcester, MA 01609 508 756-4646 Voice 508 791-4755 Fax fscm.org

Freedom Trail Clinic FTC Deaf and Hard of Hearing

Services

25 Staniford Street, Boston, MA 02114 617 912-7897 TTY. 617 912-7800 Voice norhtsuffolk.org

Kim Grebert, MSW, LICSW

Offices in Watertown and Westborough 781 266-8126

Margo P. Goldman, MD

5 Common Street Wakefield, MA 01880 781 245-2070

Susan B. Gross, M.Ed., MSW, LICSW

121 W. Newton Street Boston, MA 02118 617 262-4686

Sanjay Gulati

Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services Cambridge Hospital deafclinic@challiance.org for intake, contact Donna 617- 665-2480

Michael Harvey, Ph.D.

14 Vernon Street, Suite 304 Framingham, MA 01701 508 872-9442 TTY/V 508 620-1478 Fax michaelharvey-phd.com

Hearing Care Center Psychotherapy Collaborative 450 North Main Street

Sharon, MA 02067 781 784-1944 TTY/V hearingcarecenter.com

Laura Heideman, LICSW

2464 Mass Ave, #312 Cambridge, MA 02140 617 354-8655

Life Links

145 Lexington Avenue Lowell, MA 01854 978 459-6179 TTY/V 978 453-7077 Fax <u>lifelinks.ws</u>

McLean Hospital

115 Mill Street Belmont, MA 02478 617 855-2000 Voice

Massachusetts Developmental Disabilities Council MDDC

1150 Hancock St. Ste. 300 Quincy, MA 02169 617 770-9499 TTY 617 770-7676 Voice 617 770-1987 Fax mas.gov/mddc

Mental Health & Substance

Abuse Services of the Berkshires MHSAB 333 East Street Pittsfield, MA 01201 413 447-3161 413 499-0412 TTY/V 800 252-0227 TTY/V Crisis

National Alliance for the Mentally Ill NAMI

Hotline

Colonial Place Three 2107 Wilson Blvd. Suite 300 Arlington, VA 22201 703 516-7227 TTY 703 524-7600 Voice 800 950-6264 Toll Free nami.org

NAMI Massachusetts

400 West Cummings Park Ste. 6650 Woburn, MA 01801 781 938-4048 Voice 800 370-9085 Toll Free 781 938-4069 Fax namimass.org

New England Medical Center NEMC

Deaf Family Clinic

Stephan R. Glicken, M.D. Director 750 Washington St. #471 Boston, MA 02111 617 636-1371 TTY 617 636-5255 Voice 617 636-7719 Fax nemc.org

New Wings Psychotherapy

Barbara Phillips, MSW, LICSW 251 Massachusetts Ave Arlington, MA 02476 781 643-9135 TTY 781 643-8780 Voice

North Suffolk Mental Health

Association NSMH

301 Broadway Chelsea, MA 02150 617 889-4856 TTY 617 889-4860 Voice northsuffolk.org

Joan Robin, L.M.H.C.

61 Main Street Blackstone, MA 01504 508 883-4673 TTY/V 508 883-0401 Fax JCRobin19@aol.com

South Shore Center for Guidance and Counseling

1030 Turnpike Street, Route 138 Canton, MA 02021 781 828-8667 TTY 781 828-8666 Voice 781 575-1795 Fax Herbert K. Goldberg

South Shore Mental Health Center SSMHC

Deaf and Hard of Hearing

Services

460 Quincy Ave Quincy, MA 02169 617 847-1922 TTY 617 847-1914 Voice 800 852-2844 Toll Free http://ssmh.org

Sovner Center

Kathy Langone, M.Ed. 65 Newbury Street Danvers, MA 01923 978 750-6684 Fax 978 750-6828 Voice glmh.org/layer/SovnerCtr/ab out us

Tetty Gorfine, LCSW, LMHC Life Course Counseling

Center

PO Box 845 Northampton, MA 01061 413 585-1655 TTY/V lifecourse.net

Carolyn R. Watson-Peters, LCSW, MSW

8 Heather Drive Framingham, MA 01701 508 879-0395 TTY/V

Wayside Metrowest

Counseling Center

Patti Thole LMHC 88 Lincoln Street Framingham, MA 01702 508 620-1012 TTY 508 620-0010 Voice 508 626-7625 Fax waysideyouth.org

Wayside-Beaverbrook Counseling Center

118 Central Street Waltham, MA 02453 781 891-3956 TTY 781 891-0555 Voice 781 647-1432 Fax waysideyouth.org

Westboro State Hospital

Michael Krajnak
Communication Specialist
The Deaf Unit
PO Box 288
Lyman Street
Westboro, MA 01581
508 616-2842 TTY
508 616-2322 Voice
508 616-2843 Fax
michael.krajnak@state.ma.us

Willie Ross School for the Deaf Outreach and Community

Base Programs

32 Norway Street Longmeadow, MA 01106 413 567-0374 TTY/V 413 567-8808 Fax WillieRossSchool.org

Worcester Youth Guidance

Center

Deaf Services 275 Belmont Street Worcester, MA 01604 508 791-0168 TTY 508 791-3261 Voice 508 795-1338 Fax

Jackie Woodside, LICSW

133 East Main Street, Westborough, MA 01581 508 616-9555 TTY/V 508 616-2958 Fax Jackie@Jackiewoodside.com

Youth Opportunities Upheld,

Inc.

81 Plantation Street Worcester, MA 01604 508 849-5600 x214 youinc.org

Mental Retardation

Department of Mental Retardation DMR

Please contact DMR for regional offices and facilities *Main Office* 500 Harrison Ave Boston, MA 02118 617 624-7783 TTY 617 727-5608 Voice 617 624-7577 Fax WWW.DMR.state.ma.us

North Shore Association for Retarded Citizens NSARC

Main Office 64 Holten Street Danvers, MA 01923 978 762-4873 TTY/V 978 777-6149 Fax WWW.NSARC.org

National Organizations

Recognized sources for general information on topics related to hearing loss, organizations that provide a broad range of services, entities working to increase awareness and representatives of the varying philosophical perspectives are listed in this section.

American Society for Deaf Children ASDC

PO Box 3355 Gettysburg, PA 17325 717 334-7922 TTY/V 800 942-2732 Hotline 717 334-8808 Fax DeafChildren.org

American Speech-Language

Hearing Association ASHA 10801 Rockville Pike Rockville, MD 20852 301 897-5700 TTY 800 498-2071 Toll Free 800 638-8255 V Toll Free 301 571-0457 Fax ASHA.org

Auditory-Verbal International, Inc. AVI

1390 Chain Bridge Road #10 McLean, VA 22101 703 739-0874 TTY 703 739-1049 Voice 703 739-0395 Fax Auditory-Verbal.org

Boys Town Research

14100 Crawford Street Boys Town, NE 68010 402 498-6749 TTY 800 448-3000 Toll Free 402 498-1348 Voice boystownhospital.org

Central Institute for the Deaf CID

4560 Clayton Ave St. Louis, MO 63110 314 977-0037 TTY 314 977-0000 Voice 314 977-0025 Fax cid.wustl.edu

Communication Service for the Deaf CSD

102 North Krohn Place Sioux Falls, SD 57103 605 367-5761 TTY 866 273-3323 Toll Free 605 367-5760 Voice 800 642-6410 Toll Free 605 367-5958 Fax C-S-D.org

Council for Exceptional Children CEC

Information Center on Disabilities and Gifted Education 1110 North Glebe Rd Ste 300 Arlington, VA 22201 866 915-5000 TTY 703 620-3660 Voice 703 264-9494 Fax cec.sped.org

Council on Education of the Deaf CED

Kent State University College of Education 405 White Hall Kent, OH 44242 330 672-2396 TTY 330 672-2294 Voice 330 672-2512 Fax deafed.net

TDI

Telecommunications for the Deaf. Inc.

(Publishes Blue Book) 8630 Fenton St. Suite 604 Silver Spring, MA 20910 301 589-3006 TTY 301 589-3786 Voice 301 589-3797 Fax tdi-online.org

The Access Board

1331 F Street, NW, Suite 1000 WASHINGTON, DC 20004 202 272-0082 TTY 800 993-2822 Toll Free 202 272-0080 Voice 800 827-2253 Toll free 202 272-0081 Fax Access-Board.gov

Parent Resources: Early Intervention Services

Agencies offering programs that are family centered and focused on the developmental issues of children, including but not limited to evaluation, consultation, communication services, training, support and assistance for Deaf children, children with hearing loss and their families are listed in this group.

Auditory-Verbal Communication Center 544 Washington Street Gloucester, MA 01930 978 282-0025 TTY/V

Beverly School for the Deaf 6 Echo Avenue Beverly, MA 01915 978 927-7070 TTY/V BeverlySchoolfortheDeaf.org Boston Children's Hospital Boston Center for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children 300 Longwood Ave LO 301 Boston, MA 02115 617 355-6603 TTY 617 355-7404 Voice 617 734-6042 Fax ChildrensHospital.org

Certified Early Intervention Programs 800 905-8437 WWW.MassFamilyTies.org

Clarke School for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Clarke School East 1 Whitman Road Canton, MA 02021 781 821-3904 TTY

781 821-3905 Fax clarkeschool.org/clarkeast

781 821-3499 Voice

Emerson College Thayer Lindsley Parent Contourd Navasary

Centered Nursery

216 Tremont Street Boston, MA 02116 617 824-8307 TTY 617 824-8323 Voice 617 824-8730 Fax

Emerson.edu/communication _disorders.cfm

Horace Mann School for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

40 Armington Street Allston, MA 02134 617 635-8534 TTY/V 617 635-6379 Fax Boston.k12.ma.us/mann

Massachusetts Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing MCDHH

Please see contact information on page 6

Massachusetts Department of Public Health

Office on Health and Disability

250 Washington St., 4th Fl. Boston, MA 02108 617 624-5992 TTY 617 624-5070 Voice 617 624-5075 Fax

state.ma.us/dph/bfch/shn/oh d/index.htm

Massachusetts State Association of the Deaf MSAD

Family Sign Program 220 Main Street Malden, MA 02148 781 388-9115 TTY 781 388-9114 Voice

781 388-9015 Fax

MSAD.org

New England Medical Center Deaf Family Clinic

755 Washington Street Boston, MA 02111 617 636-5541 NEMC.org

READS Collaborative

105 East Grove Street Middleborough, MA 02346 508 947-8530 TTY/V 508 946-1088 Fax READSCollab.org

The Learning Center for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children TLC

848 Central Street Framingham, MA 01701 508 879-5110 TTY/V WWW.TLCdeaf.org

Willie Ross School for the Deaf Outreach and Community

Base Programs
32 Norway Street
Longmeadow, MA 01106
413 567-0374 TTY/V
413 567-8808 Fax
WillieRossSchool.org

Parent Resourses: Summer Camps

Clarke School for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

47 Round Hill Road Northampton, MA 01060 413 584-3450 TTY/V 413 584-8273 Fax WWW.ClarkeSchool.org

Horace Mann School for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

40 Armington Street Allston, MA 02134 617 635-8534 TTY/V 617 635-6379 Fax Boston.k12.ma.us/mann

Laurent Clerc National Deaf Education Center Summer Camp Resource Listing,

<u>clercenter.gallaudet.edu/Info</u> ToGo/142

The Learning Center for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children TLC

Summer Camp 848 Central Street Framingham, MA 01701 508 879-5110 TTY/V tlc.org/summerprograms/ind ex05

Parent Resources: Support Groups

Beginnings for Parents of Hearing Impaired Children,

Inc.

PO Box 17646 Raleigh, NC 27619 919 850-2746 TTY/V 919 850-2804 Fax WWW.beginningssvcs.com D.E.A.F. Inc. Parents' Support Group 215 Brighton Ave Allston, MA 02134 617 254-4041 TTY/V 617 254-7091 Fax

WWW.Deafinconline.org

Tripod 1727 West Burbank Blvd Burbank, CA 91506 818 972-2080 TTY/V 818 972-2090 Fax WWW.Tripod.org

Real Estate

Castles Unlimited

837 Beacon Street Newton Centre, MA 02459 617 484-2007 Voice 617 484-2077 Fax CastlesUnlimited.com

Recreation/Deaf Clubs

Holyoke Athletic & Social Club of the Deaf

PO Box 4967 Holyoke, MA 01040 413 535-3253 TTY

413 532-3270 Fax LMacciomei@aol.com

98 Winchester Street Medford, MA 02155 781 395-4184 TTY 781 395-4999 Voice 781 395-4183 Fax

Outdoor Explorations

Outdoorexplorations.org

Relay Services

Title IV of the Americans with Disabilities Act mandates that all states provide free Relay services round the clock. Relay provides a telecommunications link for consumers using different technologies that would otherwise be incompatible. The MassRelay is a publicly funded service available at all times for people who wish to make a connection between a voice telephone and a TTY. A Relay Operator reads TTY messages to someone using a voice telephone and types his/her message on a TTY for the other caller to read.

Video relay service (VRS) provides people using American Sign Language a direct visual link with one another using computers, high speed internet connections and a web cam or video phone. The numbers for the major providers can be found at the beginning of the Resource Directory on pages 10 and 11 just after the description of how to use a TTY.

In this section, the web sites for general information about each provider and their services are listed. These listings are not the numbers or addresses for the relay service.

ATT Internet, TTY, Video Relay Service 800-682-8786 TTY 800-682-8706

consumer.att.com/relay

Communication Services for the Deaf CSD

CSD Headquarters 102 N. Krohn Place Sioux Falls, SD 57103 605 367-5761 TTY 866 273-3323 Toll Free 605 367-5760 Voice 800 642-6410 Toll Free 605 367-5958 Fax c-s-d.org

Hamilton Relay

P.O. Box 285 Aurora, NE 68818 800-618-4781 V/TTY 402-694-5110 Fax hiprelay.com

Massachusetts Relay Service

MassRelay 489 Whitney Ave. #100 Holyoke, MA 01040 massrelay.com

Customer Service 800 720-3480 TTY 800 720-3479 Voice

CustServ@MassRelay.com

Sorenson Media

4393 S. Riverboat Rd. Suite 300 Salt Lake City, Utah 84123 801.287.9400 Voice 801 287-9401 Fax sorensonvrs.com

Sorenson Communications

10 Cabot Road, Suite 212 Medford, MA 02155 Phone: 866-508-1250 Fax: 781-306-1261 VP: 801-287-7388

Sprint Relay

sprint.com

WorldCom/MCI PO.Box 1434

Riverbank, CA. 95367 IP-Relay.com

State Public Health Services

Boston Public Health

Commission

1010 Massachusetts Avenue Boston, MA 02118 617 534-9799 TTY 617 534-5395 Voice 617 534-5358 Fax BPHC.org

Office of Public Health

Preparedness

617 534-2333 Voice 617 534-2626 Fax

bphc.org/programs/initiative. asp?i=224&p=200&b=7&d=

Division of Medical Assistance Mass Health

55 Summer Street Boston, MA 02110 800 497-4648 TTY 800 841-2900 Voice http://www.mass.gov/dma

Massachusetts Department of Public Health

250 Washington Street Boston, MA 02108 617 624-6001 TTY 617 624-6000 Voice mass.gov/dph

Senior Resources

Resources, government, private and non-profit, for seniors and their families are listed in this section.

AARP

601 E Street NW Washington, DC 20049 888 687-2277

AARP.org

AARP MA State Office

One Beacon St. Ste. 2301 Boston, MA 02108 866 448-3621 Toll Free 617 723-4224 Fax ma@aarp.org

Association of Late Deafened Adults ALDA, Inc.

1131 Lake St. #204 Oak Park, IL 60301 708 358-0135 TTY 877 907-1738 Voice 866 889-8647 Toll Free alda.org

ALDA Boston Chapter

PO Box 323 East Bridgewater, MA 02333 202 337-5221 TTY ALDABoston.org

Central Mass Deaf Senior Center

St. Matthew's Parish House 695 Southbridge Street Worcester, MA 01610 508 753-2526 V/TTY

Deaf Seniors of America DSA

59 Los Palmos Drive San Francisco, CA 94127 415 586-1127 415 587-9130 DeafSeniors.org

East Longmeadow Council on the Aging

Baystate Deaf Senior Citizens

328 North Main Street
E. Longmeadow, MA 01028
413 525-5436 TTY/V
eastlongmeadow.org/Council
%20on%20Aging/homepage

Executive Office of Elder Affairs

One Ashburton Place, 5th Fl. Boston, MA 02108 800 872-0166 TTY/V 617 727-7750 Voice 800 882-2003 Hot Line 617 727-9368 Fax

mass.gov/elders 800-Age-Info

800 243-4636 Voice 800AgeInfo.com

Elder Abuse Hot Line 800 922-2275 TTY/V

Massachusetts Association of Home Care Programs

24 Third Avenue Burlington, MA 01803 781 272-7177 Voice 781 229-6190 Fax masshomecare.org

Massachusetts Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing MCDHH (see contact info on page 6)

Massachusetts Deaf Senior Citizens Center

St. Andrew's Church of the Deaf 1773 Beacon Street Brookline, MA 02445-2143 617 734-6078 TTY 617 738-0193 Voice 617 738-0197 Fax

Merrimack Valley Deaf Senior Citizen Center

South Congregational Church 198 South Broadway South Lawrence, MA 01843 978 683-9163 TTY/V

New England Home for the Deaf NEHD

Nursing Home for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Assisted Living for Deaf 154 Water Street Danvers, MA 01923 978 774-0445 TTY/V 978 774-0271 Fax NEHomesDeaf.org

North Shore Elder Services NSES

152 Sylvan Street Danvers, MA 01923 978 624-2244 TTY 978 750-4540 Voice 978 750-8053 Fax NSElder.org

North Shore Deaf Senior Citizens Center

New England Homes for the Deaf (see contact info above)

South Shore Deaf Senior Citizens Center

Atlantic Neighborhood Center 11 Hollis Street Quincy, MA 02171 617 773-9280 V/TTY

Sign Language

Allied Rehabilitation

Associates

977 Main Street Waltham, MA 02451 781 891-0452 TTY 781 899-4709 Voice 877 899-4709 Toll Free 781 899-4788 Fax communicativehealthcare.com

Amherst Leisure Services and Supplemental Education

70 Boltwood Walk Amherst, MA 01002 413 256-4065 Voice 413 256-4070 Fax LSSE.org

Boston Center for Adult Education BCAE

5 Commonwealth Avenue Boston, MA 02116 617 267-4430 Voice 617 247-3606 Fax BCAE.org

Boston University BU

605 Commonwealth Avenue Boston, MA 02215 617 353-3205 TTY/V 617 353-3292 Fax BU | SED | Students | Prospective | Graduate | Programs | DSC | Education of the Deaf

Bridgewater State College Special Education & Communication Disorders

Bridgewater, MA 02325 508 531-1226 Voice 508 531-171 Fax bridgew.edu/SpecEd

Bristol Community College Deaf Studies Program

777 Elsbree Street Fall River, MA 02720 508 678-2811 Voice Bristol.mass.edu

Brookline Adult and Community Education

PO Box 150
Brookline High School
115 Greenough St.
Brookline, MA 02446
617 739-7656 TTY
617 730-2700 Voice
617 730-2674 Fax
BrooklineAdultEd.org

Cape Cod Community College

2240 Iyanough Road West Barnstable, MA 02668 508 375-4027 TTY 508 362-2131 Voice 877 846-3672 Toll Free 508 362-3988 Fax WWW.CapeCod.mass.edu

College of the Holy Cross ASL/Deaf Studies Program

One College Street PO Box 172 A Worcester, MA 01610 508 793-3344 TTY/V 508 793-2601 Fax holycross.edu

Concord-Carlisle Adult Community Education

120 Meriam Road Concord, MA 01742 978 318-1540 TTY 978 318-1432 Voice 978 318-1539 Fax ACE.Colonial.net

D.E.A.F. Inc.

Adult Education Program 215 Brighton Ave Allston, MA 02134

617 254-4041 TTY/V

617 254-7091 Fax deafinconline.org/education/abe

Emerson College School of Communication

Science and Disorders 120 Boylston Street Boston, MA 02116 617 824-8500 Voice WWW.Emerson.edu

Holyoke Community College HCC

Division of Continuing Education

303 Homestead Ave Holyoke, MA 01040 413 552-2782 TTY 413 538-7000 Voice 413 552-2251 TTY WWW.HCC.mass.edu

Horace Mann School for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

40 Armington Street Allston, MA 02134 617 635-8534 TTY/V 617 635-6379 Fax Boston.k12.ma.us/mann

Karen Signs It KSI

PO Box 302 Beverly, MA 01915 978 921-1573 Voice 978 927-9749 Fax KRGlickman@aol.com

Massachusetts American Sign Language Teachers Association MASLTA ASL Teacher Resource

ASL Teacher Resour

Massachusetts State

Association of the Deaf MSAD

Family Sign Program 220 Main Street Malden, MA 02148 781 388-9115 TTY 781 388-9114 Voice 781 388-9015 Fax MSAD.org

MSAD Western Office

143 Dwight Street Springfield, MA 01103 413 734-9199 TTY 413 734-9100 Voice 413 739-9015 Fax

Massachusetts Bay Community College MBCC

50 Oakland Street Wellesley Hills, MA 02481 781 239-2267 TTY 781 239-3000 Voice 781 239-1047 Fax WWW.MBCC.mass.edu

Maura Leach

212 Pleasant Street Wakefield, MA 01880 781 245-3760 Voice 781 587-0021 Fax JeffMaura@aol.com

Minuteman Regional High School

758 Marrett Road Lexington, MA 02421 781 861-6500 Voice 781 863-1747 Fax Minuteman.org

Mount Wachusett Community College

ASL Deaf Studies Program 444 Green Street Gardner, MA 01140 978 630-9156 Voice 978 630-9224 Fax

MWCC.mass.edu/btml/depar tments/asl/index

Northeastern University Interpreter Education Project

405 Meserve Hall Boston, MA 02115 617 373-3067 TTY 617 373-3067 Voice 617 373-3065 Fax ASL@NEU.edu

Northern Essex Community College NECC

Interpreter Training Program

100 Elliot Way Haverhill, MA 01830 978 556-3673 TTY 978 556-3662 Voice 978 556-3740 Fax necc.mass.edu/

READS Collaborative

105 East Grove Street Middleborough, MA 02346 508 947-8530 TTY/V 508 947-3634 Voice 508 946-1088 Fax READSCollab.org

Sandwich Community School

365 Quaker Meeting House Rd East Sandwich, MA 02537 508 888-5300 Voice 508 888-8095 Fax SCSLearn.org

Smith College

Smith.edu

Clarke School for the Deaf/Graduate Teacher Education Program Lilly Hall, #106 Northampton, MA 01063 413 584-3450 Voice 413 585-3050 Fax

The Learning Center for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children TLC

Randolph Campus

30 Seton Way Randolph, MA 02368 781 963-5110 TTY/V TLCdeaf.org

Tufts University Eliot Pearson Department of Child Development

105 College Avenue Medford, MA 02155 617 627-3355 Voice ase.tufts.edu/epcd

University of Massachusetts/Amherst Division of Continuing Education 100 Venture Way Hadley, MA 01035 413 545-2414 Voice

413 545-3838 Fax UMass.edu/Contined

Willie Ross School for the Deaf Outreach and Community Base Programs 32 Norway Street Longmeadow, MA 01106 413 567-0374 TTY/V

413 567-8808 Fax

WillieRossSchool.org

Worcester State College Department of Communication Disorders 486 Chandler Street Worcester, MA 01602 508 929-8000 Voice 866 972-2255 Fax Worcester.edu

Specialized Group Residences

Deaf Community Center DCC

Mayo House/Williams House

75 Bethany Road Framingham, MA 01702 508 875-3617 TTY/V 508 875-0354 Fax

Goodwill Industries

Springfield/Hartford Area North Campus
285 Dorset Street
PO Box 80006
Springfield, MA 01138
413 788-6982 TTY
413 788-6981 Voice
Goodwillspringfield.org
Springfield/Hartford - South
Campus
3580 Main Street
Hartford, CT 06120
860 244-9595 TTY
860 278-5890 Voice

North Shore Association for Retarded Citizens NSARC

64 Holten Street Danvers, MA 01923 978 762-4873 TTY/V 978 777-6149 Fax NSARC.org

Ryan Place Apartment

12 Ryan Place 1st Floor Swampscott, MA 01907 978 762-4873 TTY/V 978 777-6149 Fax NSARC.org

Red House

24 Wave Street Lynn, MA 01902 781 595-4923 781 595-4823 NSARC.org

Swampscott Women's Apartment

12 Ryan Place 2nd Floor Swampscott, MA 01907 978 762-4873 TTY/V 978 777-6149 Fax NSARC.org

Seven Hills Foundation

81 Hope Avenue Worcester, MA 01603 508 890-5584 TTY 508 755-2340 Voice 508 849-3882 Fax SevenHills.org

South Shore Mental Health SSMH

6 Fort Street Quincy, MA 02169 617 847-1922 TTY 617 847-1950 Voice 800 852-2844 Toll Free SSMH.org

Turning Point, Inc. Z House

119 Highland Street Amesbury, MA 01913 978 388-2790 TTY/V

W House B

23 Winter Street Amesbury, MA 01913 978 388-1535 TTY/V

W House A

23 Winter Street Amesbury, MA 01913 978 388-1177 TTY/V

Turning Point, Inc.

5 Perry Way Newburyport, MA 01950 978 462-8251 TTY/V 978 462-5488 Fax

R House

6 Rowell Street Amesbury, MA 01913 978 388-9115 TTY/V

Waltham Committee, Inc. WCI

135 Beaver Street Waltham, MA 02454 781 642-0791 TTY 781 899-8220 Voice 781 899-3828 Fax wearewci.org

Speechreading Classes

Northeastern University Speech-Language and Hearing Center

503 Behrakis Health Sciences Center 30 Leon Street Boston, MA 02115 617 372-1189 cbachicha0614@hotmail.com

University of

Massachusetts/Amherst Center for Language, Speech and Hearing 715 North Pleasant Street Amherst, MA 01003 413 545-2565

413 545-0803 UMass.edu/SPHHS/ComDis

Worcester State College

Speech, Language and Hearing Clinic 486 Chandler Street Worcester, MA 01602 508 929-8567

Worcester.edu/Academius/c omm disorders

Substance Abuse Resources

Alcoholics Anonymous AA Central Service Committee of

Eastern Massachusetts 368 Congress Street Boston, MA 02210 Locate meetings using

Locate meetings using:

aaboston.org/meetings

Call this number to confirm that meeting is interpreted.
617 426-9444 Voice

Western Massachusetts
474 Pleasant Street
Holyoke, MA 01040,
413 532-2111 Voice
413 534-0929 Fax

Berkshire/Pittsfield Region
85 East Street
Pittsfield, MA 01201
413 448-2382 Voice

Beacon Programs of Franklin Center

Beacon House for Men 164 High Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413 773-4444

CAB Health & Recovery

Services, Inc

Zero Centennial Drive Peabody, MA 01960 978 968-1700 TTY/V 800 323-2224 Toll Free cabhealth.org

CASPAR-Women's Place

11 Russell Street Cambridge, MA 02140 617 661-5855 TTY 617 661-6020 Voice 617 661-3316 Fax

Community Healthlink

72 Jaques Ave Worcester, MA 01610 Central Administration 508 860-1121 Voice Residential Administration 508 860-1202 Voice 508 860-1210 Fax Communityhealthlink.org/

Gosnold on Cape Cod

PO Box 929 Falmouth, MA 02541 508 540-6550 TTY/V 800 444-1554 Toll Free 508 540-7480 Fax Gosnold.org/contact

Hairston House

25 Graves Ave Northampton, MA 01060 413 585-8390 TTY/V 413 585-8670 Fax

Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services of the Berkshires MHSAB

131 Bradford Street Pittsfield, MA 01201 413 499-1000 Voice

MHSAB.com 333 East Street Pittsfield, MA 01201 413 499-0412 Voice

Narcotics Anonymous

Western Region
Baystate Medical Center,
759 Chestnut Street
Springfield, MA 01199
413 794-0000 Voice
baystatehealth.com/1025/
Eastern Massachusetts,
617 884-7709

Technology: Visual Alerting and Signaling Systems

The following companies sell a broad range of products that use visual signals, amplified auditory signals, vibrating or tactile alerts or a combination of these modes to alert a Deaf or hard of hearing person to sounds in the environment such as telephones, doorbells, smoke alarms, kitchen timers, or a crying baby.

Ameriphone, Inc.

12082 Western Ave. Garden Grove, CA 92841 800 772-2889 TTY 800 874-3005 Voice 800 588-5952 Fax Ameriphone.com

Global Assistive Devices

4950 North Dixie Highway Fort Lauderdale, FL 33334 954 776-1373 TTY/V 954 776-8136 Fax Toll Free: 888 778-4237 TTY/V 866 222-3883 Fax globalassistive.com

NFSS Communications

PO Box 230 Lake Villa, IL 60046 800 950-9655 TTY/V 847 265-8044 Fax WWW.NFSS.com

Silent Call Communications

Corporation 5095 Williams Lake Road Waterford, MI 48329 800 572-5227 TTY/V 248 673-7353 TTY/V 248 673-7360 Fax

Sonic Alert

silentcall.com

1050 East Maple Road Troy, MI 48083 248 577-5400 TTY/V 248 577-5433 Fax SonicAlert.com

Technology: Assistive Listening Devices & Systems ALDs

Assistive listening devices provide amplification and can improve a person's ability to hear conversations in various settings, one-to-one conversations, groups, conferences, presentations, performances, etc. by creating a direct link between the speaker and the listener. ALDS may be portable or permanently installed, help screen out background noise and may be used with or without a hearing aid. The following vendors carry a broad range of ALDS.

American Loop Systems

29 Silver Hill Road Suite 100 Milford, MA 01757 800 955-7204 TTY 508 634-0200 Voice 800 438-5667 Toll Free 617 666-5228 Fax

Assistive Listening Device Systems, Inc

Hearing Loss Help Co. Dealer 385 Main Street Northboro, MA 01532

508 393-8511 Voice ALDS.com

Audex

710 Standard Street Longview, TX 75604 800 237-0716 TTY/V Audex.com

Audio Enhancement

14241 S. Redwood Road P.O. Box 2000 Bluffdale, UT 84065 800 383-9362 Toll Free 801 254-3802 Fax AudioEnhancement.com

AVR Sonovation, Inc.

7636 Executive Drive Eden Praire, MN 55344 952 934-3111 TTY 800 462-8336 Toll free 952 934-3033 Voice avrsono.com

Centrum Sound

572 La Conner Drive Sunnyvale, CA 94087 408 736-6500 Voice 408 736-6552 Fax CentrumSound.com

ClearOne Communications

1825 Research Way Salt Lake City, UT 84119 801 975-7200 Voice 800 945-7730 Toll free 801 977-0087 Fax clearone.com

Com-Tek

357 West 2700 South Salt Lake City, UT 84115 801 466-3463 Phone 800 496-3463 Toll free 801 484-6906 Fax ComTek.com

Listen Technologies

Corporation

8535 South 700 West Ste. A Sandy, UT 84070 801 233-8992 Voice 800 330-0891 Toll free 801 233-8995 Fax listentech.com

Oval Window Audio

33 Wildflower Court Nederland, CO 80466 303 447-3607 TTY/V/Fax OvalWindowAudio.com

Phonak Inc, USA

4520 Weaver Parkway Warrenville, IL 60555 630 821-5000 Voice 800 679-4871 Toll free 630 393-7400 Fax Phonak-us.com

Phonic Ear, Inc.

3880 Cypress Drive Petaluma, CA 94954 707 769-1110 Voice 800 227-0735 Toll Free 707 769-9624 Fax PhonicEar.com

Sennheiser Electronic Corporation

1 Enterprise Drive Old Lyme, CT 06371 860 434-9190 Phone 877 736-6434 Toll free 860 434-1759 Fax Sennheiserusa.com

Telex Communications, Inc.

12000 Portland Ave South Burnsville, MN 55337 952 884-4051 Voice 952 884-0043 Fax Telex.com

Williams Sound Corporation

10399 West 70th Street Eden Prairie, MN 55344 952 943-9675 TTY 952 943-2252 Voice 800 328-6190 Toll free 952 943-2174 Fax WilliamsSound.com

Technology: Assistive Technology: Research & Demonstration Centers

These organizations are involved in program or technology development to improve accessibility options for people with hearing loss and/or disabilities. Some have equipment demonstration centers.

Adaptive Environments, Inc. New England ADA & Accessible IT Center

374 Congress Street Ste 301 Boston, MA 02210 617 695-1225 TTY/V 800 949-4232 Toll free 617 482-8099 Fax AdaptiveEnvironments.org

Center for Applied Special Technology CAST

40 Harvard Mills Square Suite 3 (Foundry St.) Wakefield, MA 01880 781 245-9320 TTY 781 245-2212 Voice 781 245-5212 Fax cast.org

Clarke School for the Deaf/Center for Oral Education Center for Audiological Services 36 Round Hill Road Northhampton, MA 01060 413 582-1114 TTY/V 413 587-0383 Fax ClarkeSchool.org/cas

Hartling Communications, Inc.

85 Wilmington Road, Unit 16 Burlington, MA 01803 781 270-6710 TTY 781 272-7634 Voice 781 229-9161 Fax Hartling.com

Interpretype

3301 Brighton-Henrietta Townline Road, Suite 200 Rochester, NY 14623 585 272-1434 TTY/Fax 585 272-1155 Voice 877 345-3182 Toll free Interpretype.com

Massachusetts Assistive Technology Partnership MATP

Boston Children's Hospital 1295 Boylston St. Ste 310 Boston, MA 02215 617 355-7301 TTY 617 355-7820 Voice MATP.org

Massachusetts Association of the Deaf MSAD

Western Office 143 Dwight Street Springfield, MA 01103 413 734-9199 TTY 413 734-9100 Voice 413 739-9015 Fax MSAD.org

Massachusetts Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing:MCDHH Communication Access Training and Technology Services CATTS See contact info on page 6

Northern Essex Community College: Northeast Technical Assistance Center 100 Elliot Way Haverhill, Ma 01830 978 556-3341 TTY/V 978 556-3104 Fax pepnet.org NETAC.rit.edu

Rehabilitation Engineering Research Center on Hearing Enhancement 800 Florida Ave, NE Washington, DC 20002 202 651-5335 TTY/V 202 651-3151 TTY/V

HearingResearch.org

University of Wisconsin Trace Research and Development Center 2107 Engineering Centers Building 1550 Engineering Drive Madison, WI 53706 608 263-5408 TTY 608 262-6966 Voice 608 262-8848 Fax

Verizon Telecommunications Distribution Program MSAD

220 Main Street Malden, MA 02148 781 388-9115 TTY 781 388-9114 Voice 781 388-9015 Fax MSAD.org

Trace.Wisc.edu

Technology: Captioning

Captioning services and companies that distribute movies with captioning are listed in this group. Closed Captioning, Subtitling, Webcast Captioning, and Audio Description are included in the category Captioning is the display of printed dialogue on the screen of a video, movie or program. (Theaters that have Rear Window Captioning are listed in the section titled 'Cultural Activities and Resources'.)

Caption Max

159 W. 25th St. Suite 1020 New York, NY 10001 212 462-0060 Voice 212 462-0061 Fax CaptionMax.com

Captioneering

Visual Data Media Services

145 West Magnolia Blvd Burbank, CA 91502 818 558-3363 Voice 888 418-4782 Toll Free 808 558-3368 Fax Captioneering.com

Closed Caption Maker

822 Guilford Ave. #148 Baltimore, MD 21202 800 527-0551 Toll Free CCMaker.com

CPB/WGBH

National Center for Accessible Media

125 Western Ave. Boston, MA 02134 617 300-2489 TTY 617 300-3400 Voice 617 300-1035 Fax ncam.wgbh.org

The Caption Center

617 300-3600 V/TTY 617 300-1020 Fax

InSight Cinema

2800 28th St. Suite 380 Santa Monica, CA 90405 insightcinema.org

Media Captioning Services,

Inc.

2141 Palomar Airport Rd Suite 330 Carlsbad, CA 92009 760 431-8795 TTY 760 431-2882 Voice 760 431-8735 Fax MediaCaptioning.com

Museum Technology Source,

Inc.

323 Andover St. Suite 3 Wilmington, MA 01887 978 657-3898 Voice 800 729-6873 Toll Free 978 657-7132 Fax Museumtech.com

Captioned Media Program

CMP

1447 East Main Street Spartanburg, SC 29307 800 237-6819 TTY 800 237-6213 Voice 800 538-5636 Fax CFV.org

National Captioning Institute

NCI

1900 Gallows Road Suite 3000 Vienna. VA 22182 703 917-7600 TTY/V 703 917-9853 Fax NCICap.org

Rapid Text, Inc.

1801 Dove Street, Suite101 Newport Beach, CA 92660 949 399-9200 Voice RapidText.com

Realtime Reporters

831 335-7792 Voice RTReporters.com

ViTAC

101 Hillpointe Drive Canonsburg, PA 15317 724 514-4100 TTY 724 514-4000 Voice 800 278-4822 Toll Free 724 514-4111 Fax ViTAC.com

Technology: Catalog Vendors

A number of retail companies around the country distribute the specialized equipment and goods of interest to people with hearing loss. They may do all their sales online and by phone or a have brick and mortar location. This is a listing of companies that do business primarily through catalogue sales.

ADCO Hearing Products, Inc.

4242 South Broadway Englewood, CO 80113 303 794-3928 V/TTY 800 726-0851 Toll Free 303 794-3704 Fax ADCOHearing.com

Compu TTY, Inc.

3408 Indale Road Fort Worth, TX 76116 817 738-8993 TTY 817 738-2485 Voice 817 738-1970 Fax CompuTTY.com

General Technologies

7417 Winding Way
Fair Oaks, CA 95628
916 962-9225 V/TTY
800 328-6684 Toll Free
916 961-9823 Fax
Devices4Less.com

HARC Mercantile, Ltd

111 West Centre Ave Portage, MI 49024 269 324-1515 V/TTY 800 445-9968 Toll Free 269 324-2687 Fax HARCmercantile.com

Harris Communications

15155 Technology Drive Eden Prairie, MN 55344 952 906-1198 TTY 952 906-1180 Voice 953 906-1181 VCO 800 825-9187 TTY 800 825-6758 Voice 800 211-4360 VCO Harriscomm.com

Hartling Communications, Inc.

85 Wilmington Road, #16 Burlington, MA 01803 781 270-6710 TTY 781 272-7634 Voice 781 229-9161 Fax Hartling.com

Hear More

42 Executive Boulevard Farmingdale, NY 11735 631 752-0738 TTY 800 881-4327 Voice 800 281-3555 TTY 631 752-0689 Fax HearMore.com

HiTec Group International, Inc

8160 Madison Ave Burr Ridge, IL 60527 800 536-8890 TTY 800 288-8303 Voice 630 654-9219 Fax WWW.HiTec.com

LS & S Group Inc.

PO Box 673 Northbrook, IL 60065 800 317-8533 TTY 847 498-9777 Voice 847 498-1482 Fax LSSGroup.com

Marilyn Electronics

6 Feener Circle Randolph, MA 02368 781 961-1034 V/TTY 800 622-9558 Toll Free V/TTY 781 961-6962 Fax MarilynElectronics.com

Phone-TTY Incorporated

1246 Route 46 West Parsippany, NJ 07054 973 299-6626 TTY 973 299-6627 Voice 973 299-7768 Fax Phone-TTY.com

Potomac Technology, Inc.

One Church Street Ste 101 Rockville, MD 20850 800 433-2838 V/TTY Toll Free 301 762-1892 Fax PotomacTech.com

Sound Bytes

P.O. Box 287175 New York, NY 10128 888 816-8191 TTY/V SoundBytes.com

Weitbrecht Communications Inc.

926 Colorado Avenue Santa Monica, CA 90405 800 233-9130 TTY/V 310 450-9918 Fax WeitbrechtCom.com

Technology: FM Assistive Listening Systems Rentals

Hartling Communications,

Inc.

85 Wilmington Road, Unit 16 Burlington, MA 01803 781 270-6710 TTY 781 272-7634 Voice 781 229-9161 Fax Hartling.com

Mass AV

80 Cambridge Street Burlington, MA 01803 781 270-0027 800 423-7830 Toll Free 781 270-0037 Fax Info@MassAV.com massav.com

Terry Hanley Audio Systems

20 Industrial Parkway Woburn, MA 01801 781 932-5300 Voice 781 932-5354 Fax terryhanleyaudio.com

Technology: Pagers/Wireless Communications

Earthlink

Earthlink.net

Palm

400 North McCarthy Blvd Milpitas, CA 95035 408 503-7000 Voice 408 503-2750 Fax palmone.com

Skytel Communications, Inc.

P.O. Box 2469 Jackson, MS 39225 601 944-1300 Voice 800 552-6835 Toll Free skytel.com

T-Mobile

P.O. Box 37380 Alburquerque, NM 87176 800 937-8997 Voice t-mobile.com

Wyndtell Communications

433 Hackensack Avenue Hackensack, NJ 07601 800 549-2800 TTY 800 549-9800 Voice 201 996-1772 Fax wyndtellstore.com

Technology: Telecommunications Manufacturers & Vendors

Ameriphone, Inc.

12082 Western Ave. Garden Grove, CA 92841 800 772-2889 TTY 800 874-3005 Voice 800 588-5952 Fax Ameriphone.com

91 Dartmouth Street Marlborough, MA 01752 508 251-1308 softttv.com

DiRAD Technologies, Inc.

14 Computer Drive East Albany, NY 12205 518 459-6710 TTY 518 438-6000 Voice 518 458-2782 Fax dirad.com

Krown Manufacturing

3408 Indale Road Fortworth 76116 817 738-8993 TTY 817 738-2485 Voice 817 738-1970 Fax krowntty.com

NXI Communications, Inc.wel

4504 S. Wasatch Blvd. Suite 120 Eagle Plaza Center Salt Lake City, UT 84124 801 274-6004 TTY 801 274-6001 Voice 801 274-6002 Fax nxicon.com

HATIS Corporation

hatis.com

Intelligent Products Company Soft TTY

Ultratec. Inc.

450 Science Drive Madison, WI 53711 608 238-5400 TTY/Phone 608 238-3008 Fax ultratec.com

Verizon

Center for Individuals with Disabilities 800 974-6006 TTY/V verizon.com

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WWW Access Resources

Internet sites of/for/by people with hearing loss, which promote the interests of people with hearing loss and that are not already listed in another category have been included in this section. Web design and hosting companies, professional organizations, and disability related resources are listed here.

ADARA

Professionals Networking for Excellence in Service Delivery with Individuals Who Are Deaf or Hard of Hearing PO Box 480 Myersville, MD 21773 ADARA.org

Deaf Resource Library

deaflibrary.org

Deaf Vision, Inc.
P.O. Box 14431
San Francisco, CA 94114
415 449-3674 Fax
deafvision.net

Web Able

Disability-Related Internet

Resources, WebAble.com

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